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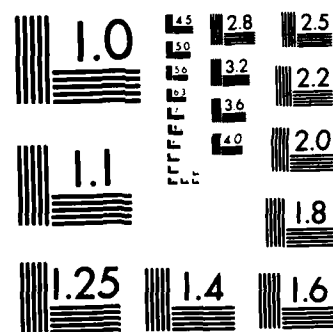
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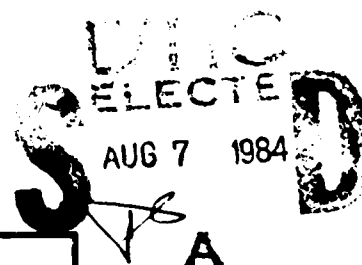
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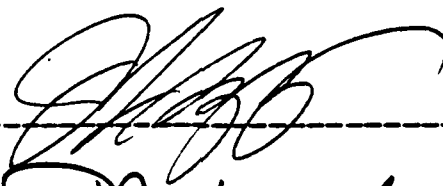
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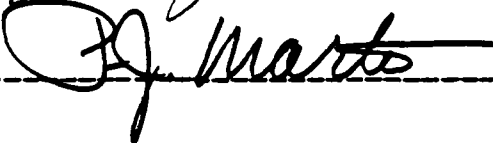
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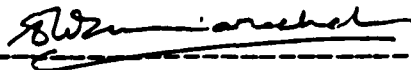
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## NOM ENCLATURE

### Latin Symbols

- a tube radius (m)
- Ac  $H \Omega^2 / g$
- Cp specific heat (kJ/kg.K)
- d tube diameter (m)
- f friction factor
- F<sub>c</sub> condensation factor for equation (3.6)
- F stress ratio =  $\tau_w / \delta g \rho_l$
- g acceleration of gravity (m/s<sup>2</sup>)
- Gr Grashof number =  $g \beta \Delta T d^3 / \nu^2$
- Gr<sub>r</sub> Rotational Grashof number =  $H \Omega^2 \beta \Delta T d^3 / \nu^2$
- hfg heat of vaporization (kJ/kg)
- H radius of rotation (m)
- j volumetric flux (m<sup>3</sup>/s)
- j\* dimensionless volumetric flux =  $j_g \rho_g^{1/2} \{g D (\rho_f - \rho_g)\}^{-1/2}$
- J Rotational Reynolds number =  $\Omega d^2 / \nu$
- k thermal conductivity (W/m.K)
- K<sub>tr</sub>-critical transition value (for equations 2.11-2.15)
- K<sub>1</sub> = JRe (for equation 2.14)
- K<sub>t</sub> = J<sup>2</sup>/Re (for equations 2.11 & 2.12)
- L length of tube (m)
- p pressure (Pa)
- P pressure (Pa)
- Pr Prandtl number
- q specific heat flux (W/m<sup>2</sup>)
- Q Heat load (W)
- Ra Rayleigh number (Gr\*Pr)
- R<sub>ar</sub> Rotational Rayleigh number (Gr<sub>r</sub>\*Pr)
- Re Reynolds number =  $Vd / \nu$

$Ro$  Rossby number =  $V / \omega d$   
 $S$  swirl number =  $1 / Ro$   
 $t$  temperature (K or  $^{\circ}C$ )  
 $V$  velocity (m/s)

### Greek Symbols

$\alpha$  void fraction or thermal diffusivity (unitless or  $m^2/s$ )  
 $\beta$  coefficient of thermal expansion ( $1/K$ )  
 $\delta$  film thickness (m)  
 $\gamma$  ratio of specific heats  
 $\Delta$  difference in values  
 $\tau$  temperature gradient ( $K/m$ )  
 $\rho$  density ( $kg/m^3$ )  
 $\mu$  viscosity ( $N.s/m^2$ )  
 $\sigma$  surface tension ( $N/m$ )  
 $\nu$  kinematic viscosity ( $m^2/s$ )  
 $\Omega$  angular velocity ( $1/s$ )

### Subscripts

$0$  stationary reference  
 $am$  arithmetic mean temperature difference  
 $b$  bulk condition  
 $E$  boiling section  
 $c$  cooled section  
 $cr$  critical value  
 $E$  entrainment value  
 $h$  heated section  
 $l$  laminar conditions  
 $l$  liquid state  
 $s$  sonic value ( $M=1$ )  
 $sat$  saturation value  
 $t$  turbulent conditions  
 $v$  vapor state

w wall condition  
m mean condition

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## I. INTRODUCTION

The marine engineer and naval architect are charged with creating a design of a vessel from a broad set of requirements for the ship system prepared by the customer. This requires a very structured procedure for preparing the design-based comparisons and economic trade-off studies at each and every stage of the development of the design. The end result is a complete set of design requirements from which to construct the final product (this result should meet the original design requirements!).

This structured procedure has the form of the well-known "design spiral" [Ref. 1], which is shown in Figure 1.1 for the propulsion machinery. This procedure encompasses the total ship design, including (but not limited to):

### Main Propulsion System

Shaft horsepower

Propeller RPM

Specific fuel consumption and bunker capacity

Space and weight objectives

Adaptability to ship configuration

### Auxiliary Ship Systems

Power and lighting

Steam-galley, deck, and heating systems

Heating, ventilating, and air conditioning

Firefighting and ballasting

Fresh water

## Hull Engineering Systems

Anchor handling

Steering engine and bridge telemetering control

Cargo handling gear

Crane systems

## Electronic and Navigation Systems

Communication, exterior and interior

Radar

Loran, Omega, etc., navigation aids

Military electronics, sensors, command and control systems, weapons directors, tactical data systems, and electronic countermeasures.

In order to design the vessel within economic constraints, or to use the life cycle cost as the function to optimize, it is imperative to define initially the devices used to provide the power for the vessel. They must provide most for the least, in terms of the fuel that they expend and the volume and weight that they possess.

The selection of the main propulsion plant requires matching the power of the generating device with a transmission (in most cases), the propulsor, other ship systems and the hull. If one limits the choices of propulsors to fixed-pitch propellers and controllable and reversible-pitch propellers, which are currently realistic for large vessels, the number of possible permutations remains quite sizable, as shown in Figure 1.2. The horsepower and RPM requirements of modern warships require the use of a transmission to couple the high RPM of an economical prime mover with the low RPM required at the propulsor for high propulsive

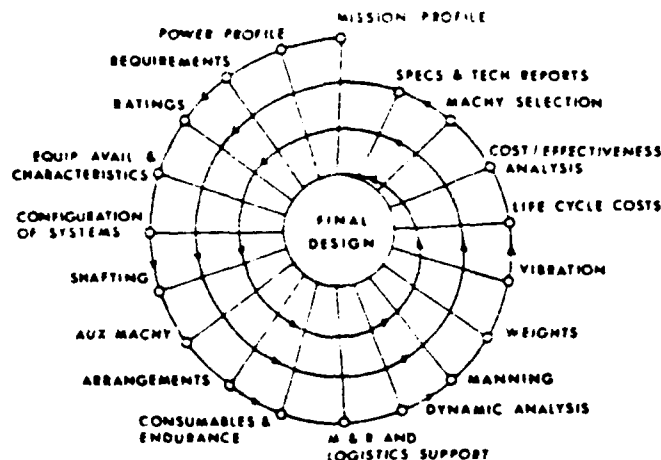


Figure 1.1 Preliminary Design Spiral for Propulsion Machinery.

efficiency. This transmission may be either mechanical or electrical. The mechanical reduction gear has been exploited in the past to minimize volume/space requirements. When coupled to a reversible prime mover, such as a steam turbine, it has been proven to be quite acceptable. However, the electrical transmission has several attractive features, such as ease of propulsor speed and direction control, flexibility in the the number and location of controls, freedom of installation and machinery layout, coupling of various prime movers independently to propulsor drives (as well as other auxiliary applications), and the ease of auxiliary thruster installation for maneuvering control.

The choice of the propulsion plant includes many important factors, such as:

1. Reliability
2. Maintainability
3. Space and arrangement requirements
4. Weight requirements
5. Type of fuel required

6. Fuel consumption
7. Fractional power and transient performance
8. Interrelations with auxiliaries
9. Reversing capability
10. Operating personnel
11. Rating limitations
12. Costs

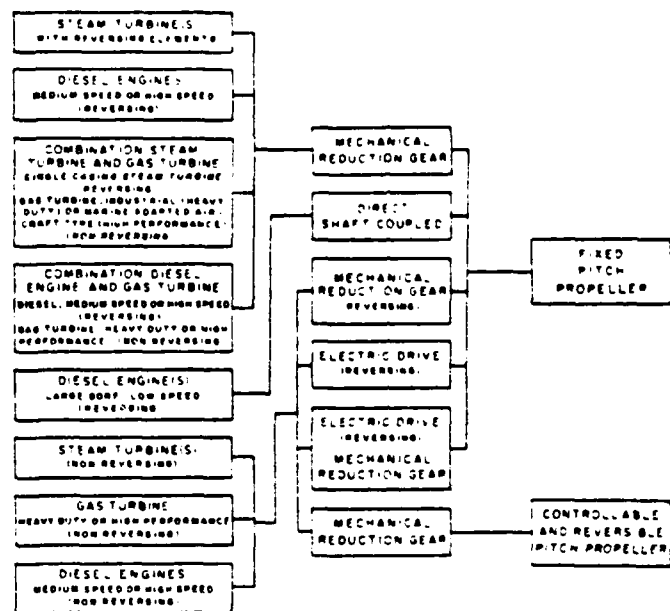


Figure 1.2 Propulsion Plant Alternatives.

These factors have gone through many cyclic changes based on the fluctuating economy. The recent emphasis on fuel costs and availability has driven the fuel consumption/prime mover efficiency to a much higher level of concern than it was previously given. The cost of acquisition of new vessels has skyrocketed, as well as the costs of maintenance and repair. These escalating costs are a challenge to the engineer of today. The economic considerations of the initial cost of a plant, the cost of maintenance and repair, and the cost to operate a plant from its

construction to its retirement, also coined "life cycle" cost, is the driving force that controls the design of the modern warship.

Of the list of prime movers shown in Figure 1.2, the life-cycle cost of the marine gas turbine is one of the lowest. The economy of operation is maximized within a rather narrow range of RPM's. This has been tolerated in the current employment of this device, since the cost of utilizing an electric transmission to accomplish the goal of operating the prime mover within its maximum economy range did not offset the loss of efficiency experienced by the gas turbine. This was due to the technology that existed within the field of electrical controls at the time. The advent of electronic frequency control of the output of the generator, independent of RPM or poles, and the frequency control of the synchronous motor, independent of its supply frequency, makes the use of the electrical transmission much more attractive. Although the initial cost will be higher, the cost of operation, maintenance, and repair of the system will rapidly offset the initial cost differential [Ref. 2], [Ref. 3], and [Ref. 4]. An analysis of the economic and engineering considerations involved with this mechanical vs. electrical drive selection was made by Eric Gott and S. O. Svensson [Ref. 5] in 1974; they clearly illustrated the nature of the problem and possible solutions. In their paper, it was evident that the selection of some of the possibly more appropriate forms of electric drives was discouraged due to the economics of the choice. High-power frequency-controlling equipment was very expensive and bulky. Recent advances in high-power, solid-state equipment have now again promoted these alternatives into viable contention.

## A. HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT

From the early attempts by the Russians in the 1890's to power small passenger launches, and the British and French experiments with small submersibles, to the present, the use of electric propulsion has made a slow evolution. The U.S. Navy began with the Jupiter in 1911. It was a 5500 hp/shaft vessel equipped with wound rotor induction motors, which fulfilled a 30-year lifespan (terminated by surface warfare activity in 1943, while serving as an aircraft carrier (Langely)). This led to several major programs, summarized below:

- \* AC drive installed on five battle ships of 30,000+hp (1918-1922)

- \* AC drive applied to carriers Saratoga and Lexington of 200,000hp (1920)

- \* Synchronous ac drive introduced on four Coast Guard cutters (1919)

- \* Synchronous ac drive in the liner Normandie at 160,000hp (1935)

- \* Synchronous ac drive and full dynamic braking in cutters (1940)

In the U.S. Navy Bureau of Ships Manual (BUSHIPS 250-660-2), dated 1 March 1945, the text states that the Navy's inventory of ships that used electric drive (in addition to above) was "....about two hundred destroyer escorts and about one hundred other ships including tankers, cargo transports, troop transports, and store ships." All of these applications were with steam turbines (which were speed-adjustable and reversible) and eventually this design lost favor to the less expensive mechanical reduction gear systems which were somewhat lighter. The weight of these

original electric drive systems was due to the basic frequency relationship of RPM to the number of poles. This led to the basic configuration of two pole generators (3600RPM) and twenty-eight to eighty pole motors (256-9CRPM). The large number of poles required in motor the for speed reduction caused the motors to be extremely large and heavy. The advent of the use of synchronous motors reduced the weight slightly since the motor experienced much fewer slip losses. A good historical background on the early stages of electric propulsion is found in the book written by Commander S.M. Robinson, USN [Ref. 6].

Current applications in the U.S. Navy are shown in Table I.

TABLE I  
U.S. Navy Electric Drive Ships

<u>Type</u>	<u># Ships</u>	<u>SHp</u>	<u># Motors</u>
AS	2	15,000	1
AS	2	11,520	8
TARC	1	10,000	2*
TAGOS	1	1,600	2**

\* also has 4-1200 hp thrusters

\*\* also has 1-550 hp thruster

## B. ELECTRIC PROPULSION CONCEPTS

An area of current research in the field of rotating electric equipment that shows considerable promise with regard to electric propulsion is the use of acyclic (homopolar) superconductive DC devices. These devices produce exceptionally high torque and horsepower in a very small volume and weight. This is of great value in advanced

hullform propulsion. A large amount of research in this area to determine configuration, peak casualty potential, maintainability of the required cryogenic equipment, as well as the adaptability of the systems for this cryogenic apparatus must be performed before actual implementation of this configuration can occur in a specific design. Thus, for rapid implementation in a short-term project (3-5yrs), the choices remaining in electric propulsion to be considered are direct-current (DC) and alternating-current (AC) devices. The category of AC devices is further subdivided into inductive and synchronous devices. All three devices have been used for marine propulsion and each has its own inherent advantages and disadvantages.

#### 1. DC Machinery

The DC electric drive system has been used extensively in the past, primarily in low to medium power ranges (1000 - 6000 hp/shaft) with extremes of 400 hp/shaft and 19,600 hp/shaft noted. This employment of DC drives normally utilizes 1-4 prime movers powering one or more motors per shaft (duplicating the system if more than one shaft exists).

Primary advantages of this system include:

1. Ease of Control. Control being effected by varying the generator voltage through field control-a process that lends itself well to remote location(s).
2. Multiple Control Stations. The ease of which the generator voltage and polarity of the motor connections (either field or exciter) are varied allows multiple control stations to be designed for flexible ship control in tight maneuvering situations.
3. Adaptability to varying propeller-hull characteristics. The propeller-hull characteristics change



dramatically when the vessel is towing or ice-breaking. The ability to match the prime mover (running at optimum speed) to the propeller through the propulsion motor and still provide maximum torque is a specific advantage of this system, without excess engine or electrical capacity, through a wide range of propeller RPMs.

Primary disadvantages include:

1. Limited Power Range. The top-end range of approximately 10,000 hp/shaft limits the vessel size that can utilize this system.

2. Generator Speed Limitations. The maximum speed that the generator can be operated, due to problems primarily associated with commutation, is typically limited to under 1000 RPM. This limits the selection of the prime mover if one does not utilize mechanical reduction gearing to match the characteristics. Figure 1.3 shows the normal relationship of RPM vs. KW.

3. Weight and Size. The weight of the DC system increases dramatically with power rating as shown in Figure 1.4 (this figure shows weight in pounds/SHP); note that total weight becomes almost linear with SHP at higher SHP values. This precludes high power applications of conventional DC systems above 10,000 hp/shaft (acyclic-homopolar devices are excluded from this analysis). The physical size of the device also has this dramatic functional relationship to rating as shown in Figure 1.5.

From the above discussion of advantages and disadvantages, the consideration of DC electric propulsion for use in a warship design that would require on the order of 40,000 hp and utilize gas turbines in their most efficient

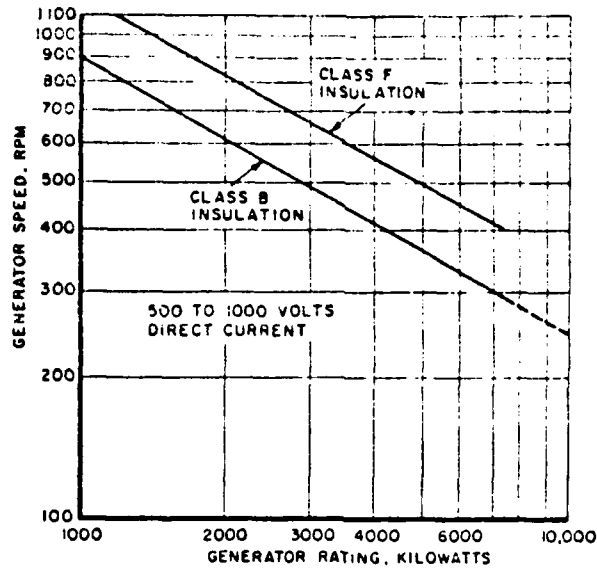


Figure 1.3 Variation of DC Generator Speed with Rating.

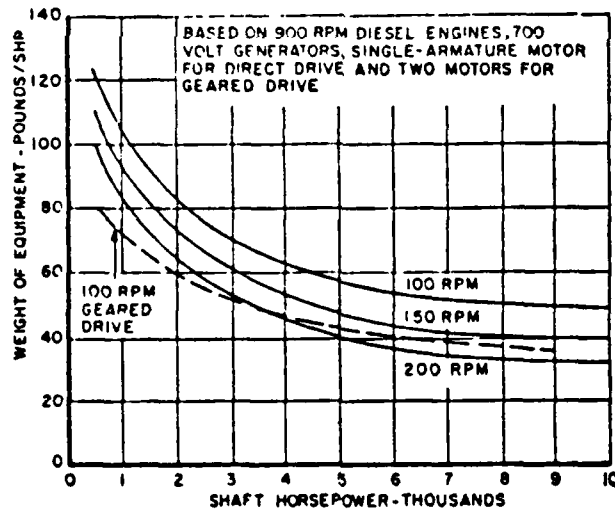


Figure 1.4 Variation of DC Generator Weight with Rating.

operating range is not realistic. Therefore, the remainder of this paper will only consider the AC systems. The

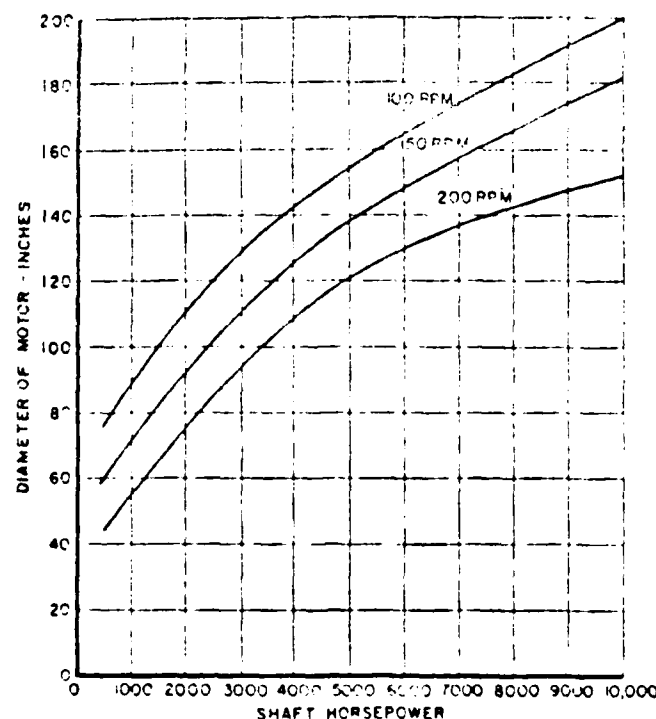


Figure 1.5 Variation of DC Generator Size with Rating.

inherent losses associated with these DC systems though are essentially the same as those in the AC systems. Figures 1.1 through 1.5 are from "Marine Engineering", R. L. Harrington, editor.

## 2. AC machinery

The devices included in the conventional AC machinery area fall into two categories: induction and synchronous. The principal difference between the two systems is in the motor application. The induction motor system provides exceptional torque at low RPM and maximum slip (200%). This high torque response at low RPM makes the induction motor system preferable in some applications. For naval applications, this system is not as efficient as the synchronous system by a few critical percentage points. The

induction motor has losses that are a function of the slip incurred between the rotor and the stator field. This slip is related to the RPM and load. The remaining losses in the induction motor are the same as the synchronous motor in general. Another critical difference between the two systems is the power factor difference. In the induction motor, the rotor current is induced from the stator field. This induced field that is created as a result of this current is the mechanism from which the mechanical rotation is derived. Since this current is induced from the stator (supplied current), it causes the current load seen by the supplying device to "lag" the supplying voltage and therefore cause the power factor (a measure of the amount of lag or lead) to be less than unity. A power factor of unity indicates that the load current and the load voltage are in phase and maximum real energy transfer is occurring. The induction motor is normally operated with a lagging power factor of approximately 80% [Ref. 6] and an overall efficiency of approximately 90%. In the synchronous system, the power factor is normally unity and is controllable by the external motor rotor excitation which results in the synchronous system's power factor being adjustable and a unity power factor being easily obtained. Note here also that the power factor in this system can be made to actually "lead" and thereby correct a system "lag" to other loads that might exist in the fully integrated system. The advantages of AC systems in general are:

1. High Efficiency. Losses in the synchronous system are approximately 6% (including excitation losses) as compared to the induction motor system losses that range from approximately 8 to 10%.
2. Flexibility of Installation. The direct drive motor can be installed in the vessel to minimize shaft

length to the propeller (since physically smaller than DC motors) and the generator can be installed without reduction gearing and operated directly coupled to the prime mover.

3. Dual Use of Propulsion Power. The AC system allows for the power from propulsion units to be used for other functions when not required for propulsion; this leads to the creation of a fully-integrated system.

4. Available in large Power Ratings. The conventional AC systems can be built in any power rating required with a reasonable upper limit of approximately 60,000 hp. The larger system's size is being reduced by raising the system voltage (which is not limited by the commutation requirements of DC systems). The system voltages typically in use are from 2,300 to about 7,500 volts. These voltages are easily transformed for other uses in addition to propulsion.

The selection of the main propulsion system therefore is not simple. The design environment must be specified and the prime mover is selected. Once these parameters are defined, the appropriate selection of transmission, control, and propulsor can be chosen. For the purpose of the propulsion of a vessel of approximately 8,000-ton displacement and the mission of a normal warship of the destroyer/cruiser variety using the marine gas turbine as the prime mover and life-cycle costs the design criteria, the selection of the AC synchronous drive (possibly fully integrated) appears as a very appropriate choice. Some of the design configurations possible within this choice, and the associated performance of each, are shown in Figure 1.6 as presented in [Ref. 7]. Additional possible configurations are shown in Figures 1.7 and 1.8. The end result of the implementation of these technologies would result in substantial savings

over the current production configuration that utilizes the gas turbine main propulsion in the life-cycle analysis. Such a comparison is shown in Figure 1.9, also from the NAVSEA report [Ref. 7].

Additional propulsion plant arrangements are given in [Ref. 5] and the total number possible is only limited truly by the designer's imagination and creativity within the confines of the hullform.

### 3. Motor/Generator Losses

The concept of losses within the motor and the generator are comparative in magnitude and virtually identical in nature. The losses will, therefore, be discussed as a group which is applicable to both the motor and the generator. The approach of an energy balance is useful here to introduce these losses:

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 | \text{Energy into device} | & | \text{Energy into device} | & \\
 | \quad \text{on the} \quad | & + | \quad \text{on the} \quad | & = \\
 | \text{mechanical side} | & | \text{electrical side} | & \\
 \\ 
 | \text{Increase of} & | & | \text{Increase of} & | & | \text{Heat} & | \\
 | \text{stored kinetic/} & | & | \text{stored energy} & | & | \text{generated} | \\
 | \text{potential mech.} & | + | & | \text{in the elec.\&mag.} & | + | & | \text{within} & | \\
 | \text{energy in device} & | & | \text{fields of device} & | & | \text{device} & |
 \end{array}$$

(1.1)

The net quantity on the right-hand side of the equation is small and positive; the majority of the energy into the device is transmitted through the device as an output. As an example, when considering the motor, the energy into the device on the mechanical side is negative in sign and approximately equal to the electric energy into the device which is positive in sign. This amount must be balanced by the quantity on the right side of the equation.

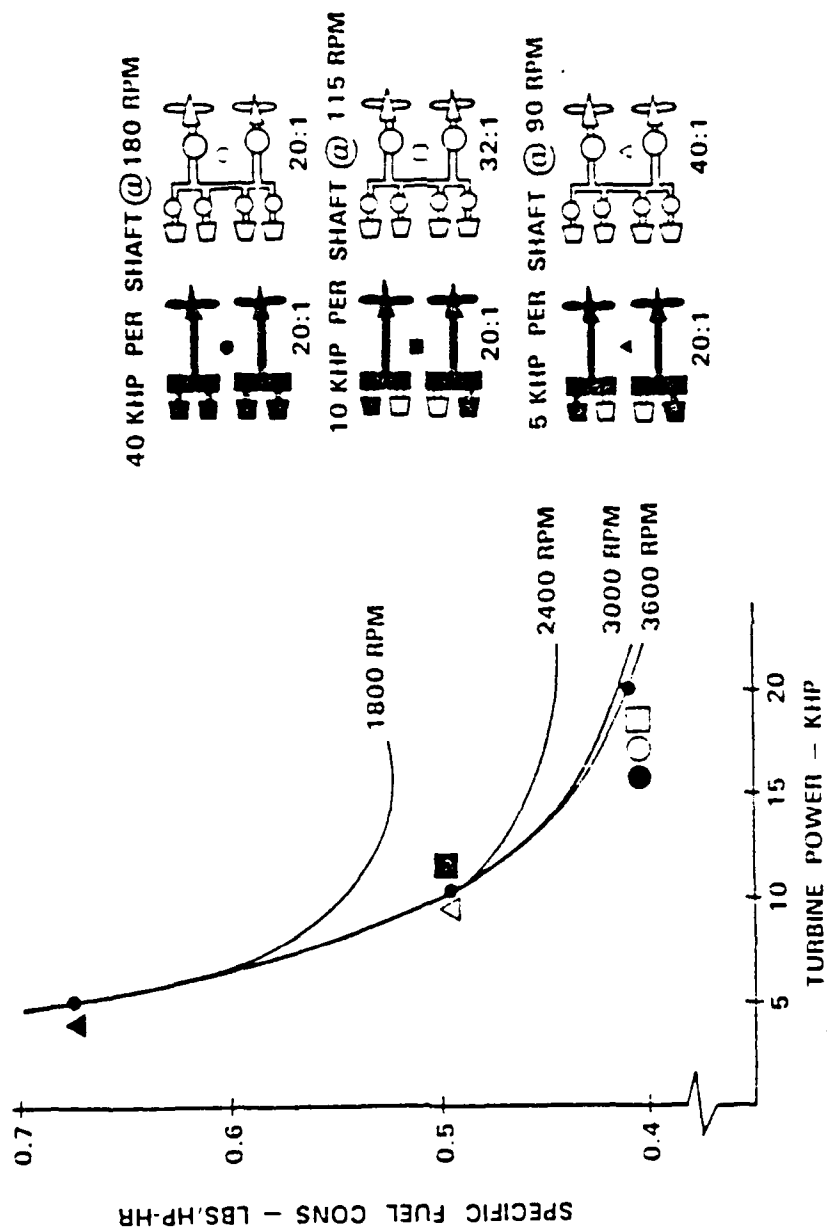


Figure 1.6 Performance for Various Configurations of AC Drives.

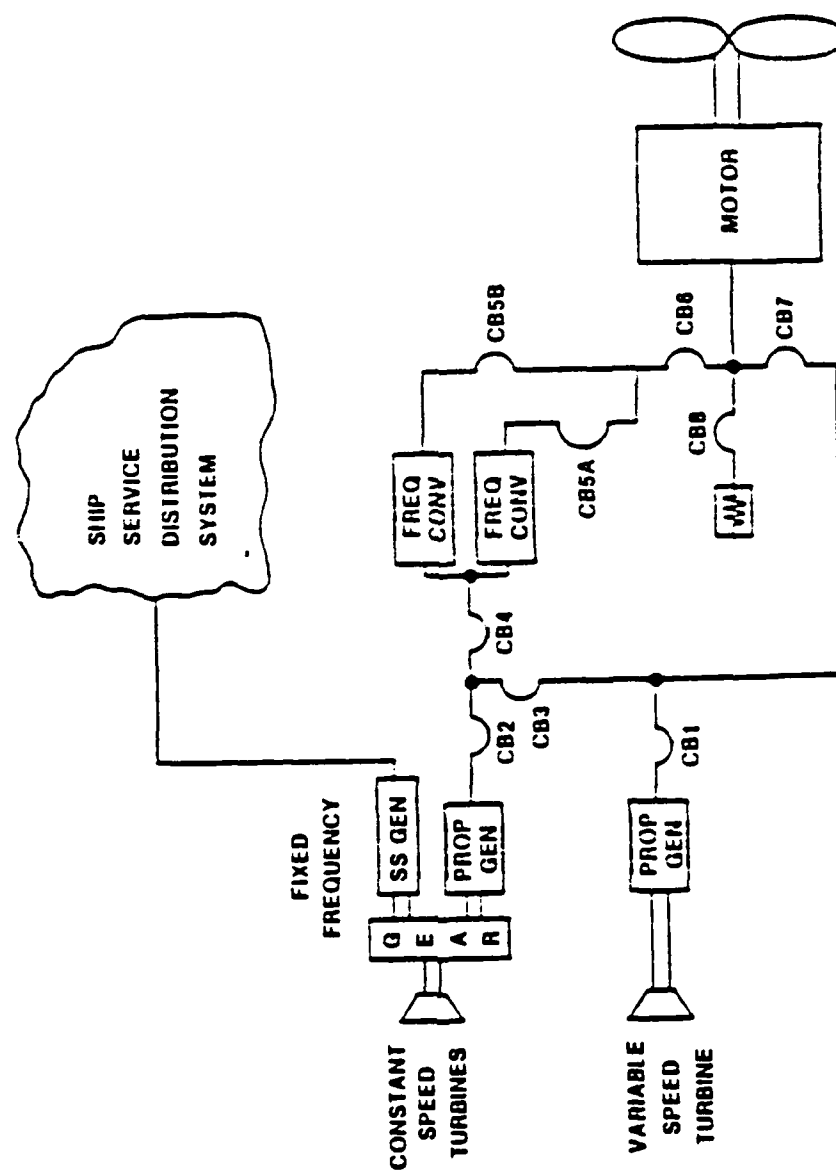


Figure 1.7 Integrated System Candidate, Fixed Frequency.



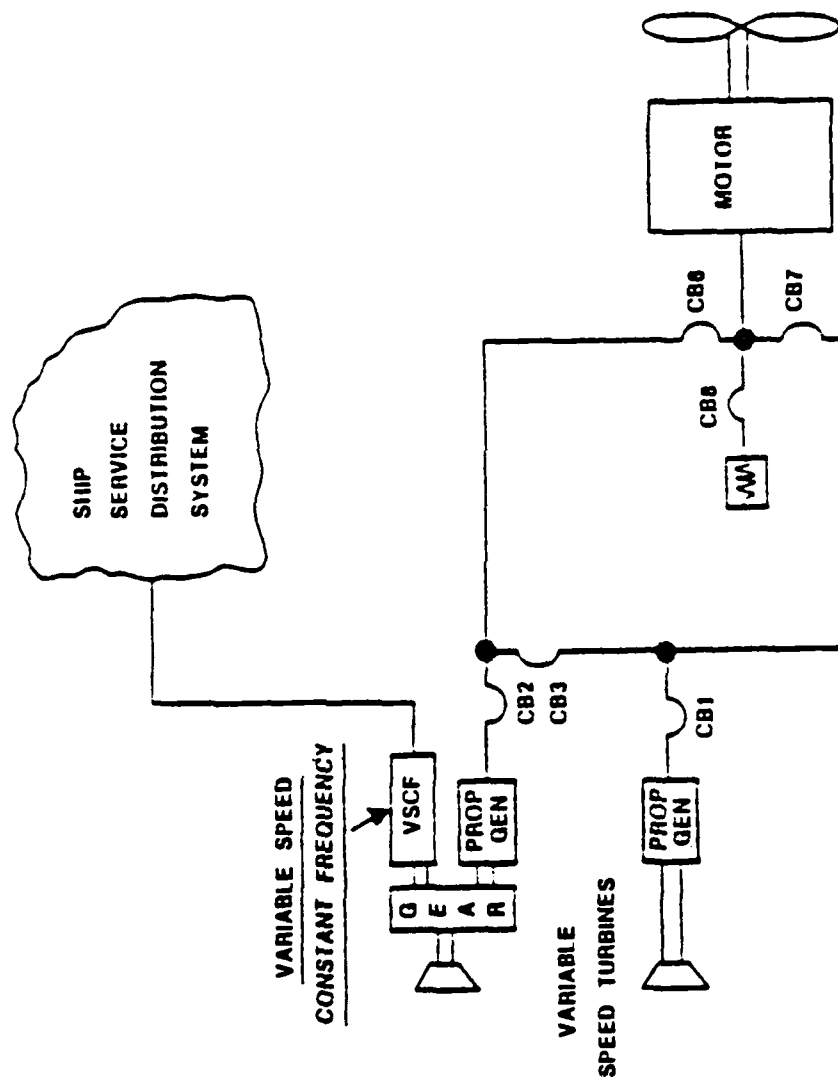


Figure 1.8 Integrated System Candidate, Variable Speed.

**COMPARATIVE DESTROYER SIZE AND COST ★  
DD963-LIKE MECHANICAL VS INTEGRATED ELECTRIC MACHINERY**

MACHINERY ALTERNATIVE	SHIP IMPACT		LIFE CYCLE COST IMPACT		
	SIZE (M.TONS)	ACQUIS. COST	30YR FUEL (\$M)	MANNING REOMT.	
4 LM 2500 (DD963-LIKE)	7100	BASE	385	BASE	
3 LM 2500 INTEGRATED ELECTRIC	6300	.97BASE	322	1.0BASE	
IMPACT OF INTEGRATED ELECTRIC MACHINERY	-11%	-3% ★ ★	-16%	0	

★ EXTRACED FROM DDG1 MACHINERY PLANT TRADEOFF SUMMARY PRESENTATION TO SENIOR REVIEW PANEL, 17 MARCH 1982.  
 ★ ★ COST REDUCTION PERCENTAGE BASED ON TOTAL SHIP ACQUISITION COST (INCLUDING COMBAT SYSTEMS). SHIPBUILDING COST  
 WOULD BE REDUCED ABOUT 6%.

**Figure 1.9 Comparative Destroyer Size and Cost.**

The terms on the right side are all usually small and may be zero. The first term represents the energy associated with a speed change and results from the inertia of the device. In the steady state it is zero. The second term would result from a change in current to the device and the electric field that existed would be a source of energy (the induction effect). The third term is the main point of interest here. It is comprised of the following:

- \* Mechanical friction losses
- \* Air friction losses (windage)
- \* Hysteresis and eddy-current losses
- \* Resistance losses in the armature, and
- \* Exciter losses (in the case of synchronous machines).

The object for the electrical engineer is to minimize these losses to the greatest extent possible. Since it is impossible to eliminate all these losses, the problem that remains is the removal of the resulting heat within the device [Ref. 8]. The size and weight of the device is largely dependent on the ability to remove this heat, since the capacity of the device is limited by the insulation used in the device. The method of heat removal is not limited to a single mode, but is a combination of many modes of heat transfer including:

- \* Conduction: stator to casing  
rotor to stator (through air gap)  
rotor to shaft  
shaft to casing  
shaft to external device (coupling,  
reduction gear, etc.)
- \* Convection (both forced and natural):  
casing to ambient  
stator to internal air (or gas)  
rotor to internal air (or gas)  
shaft surface to internal air (or gas)

shaft surface to external air

\* Radiation: external surfaces to sinks  
internal surfaces to casing

These modes are not all very controllable. Large amounts of research have been devoted to minimizing these thermal resistances. Efforts to improve convection heat transfer have found that the restrictions on the rotor-stator air gap have prevented exploitation of this mode as discussed as early as in 1926 by G.E. Luke [Ref. 9] and as late as in 1979 by O.N. Kostikov, et al. [Ref. 10]. The improvement of the conduction heat transfer has been improved by minimizing the thermal resistance of the insulating compounds and the materials used in the construction of the device, including installing thermally-conductive materials in the coil ends.

The improvement of convection heat transfer is still being examined by using liquids and gases to cool the rotor and the stator of these devices. This procedure involves piping a liquid through the stator to remove heat by forced convection, and utilizing a material with high thermal conductivity directly adjacent to the piping to conduct it to the piping where it is removed by the passing liquid. This method is equally applicable to the rotor, provided the problem of the rotating seals can be overcome in order to channel the liquid from an external sink to the moving rotor and back out. The advantage of doing this over standard cooling schemes is that the capacity of a device may be increased due to the lower internal temperatures that could be maintained (or the physical size and weight of the device could be reduced for an existing capacity) as shown in Figure 1.10 for a 40,000 hp, 180 RPM synchronous motor. The use of a liquid in a buoyancy driven closed-loop, called a thermosyphon, is also possible. The amount of heat transfer

in this method is dependent on the specific heat capacity of the liquid being used, the temperature rise allowed, the pipe resistance in the loop, and the required flow rate; the heat-transfer areas then required may be prohibitively large.

The two-phase cooling method within a closed loop, in the form of a heat pipe, has also been extensively investigated. This method has an advantage over the conventional, liquid-cooling method in that it eliminates the necessity for rotating seals. These seals can be weak points in the design from a reliability stand point, especially if high RPMs are involved. The heat-pipe method typically involves a confined fluid acting as a two-phase medium for heat transfer, exploiting the phase change as a vehicle for substantial heat transfer in order to remove heat from the rotor or the stator or both. This method then transfers the heat either to the ambient air or to some other gas, liquid or solid heat exchanger. The configuration most suitable for use within a motor/generator on the order of 40,000 hp would be either to ambient air or to a fresh water heat exchanger external to the motor in the case of stator cooling, or to internal forced air through extended surfaces in the case of rotor cooling.

### C. PROBLEM DEFINITION

The purpose of this thesis is to analyze various methods of cooling motors and generators of warship propulsion plants and to discuss the economic and reliability perspectives associated with each system. The next two chapters will discuss the theory and application of these two methods: liquid cooling of the rotor, both forced convection and the thermosyphon, and two-phase cooling of the rotor.

A test apparatus for evaluation of various rotating cooling schemes has been designed and is currently under construction at the David W. Taylor Naval Ship Research and Development Center, Annapolis, Maryland. It is sketched in Figure 1.11 and will be used for the analysis within this study. The results/recommendations herein may thereby be experimentally evaluated.

For the purpose of this arbitrary configuration, the model for analysis is as follows:

- 1) The device will be a water-cooled frame, synchronous AC generator, 25,118 kVA @ 3,600 RPM.
- 2) A specific conduction bar shall be analyzed for a typical load for all cooling configurations. It has a length of 0.9144m and is 0.0116m square with a 4.763mm diameter hole bored through the length (herein referred to as the tube length and tube diameter). The losses per bar in this configuration are approximately 50W.

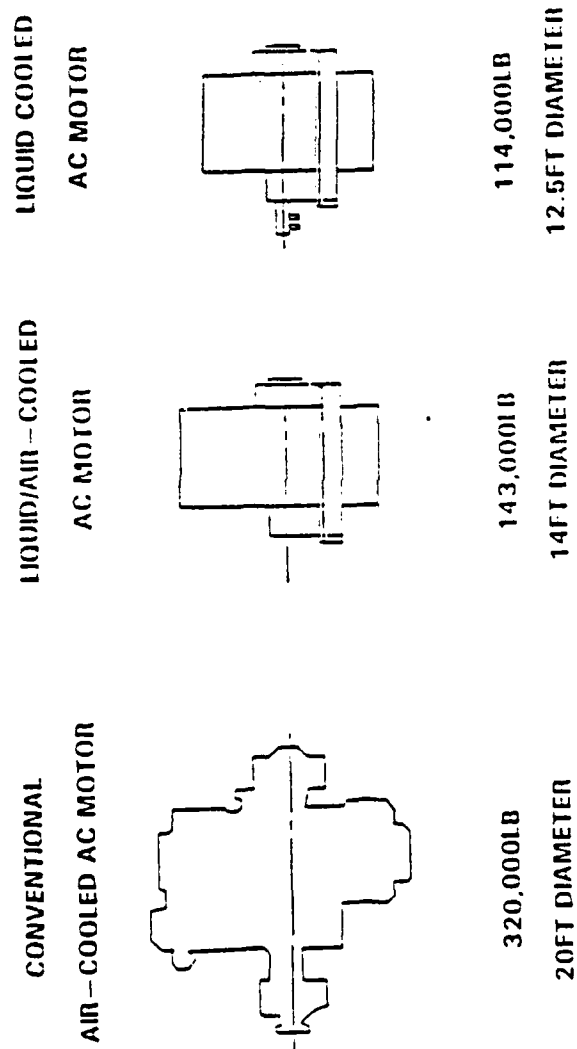


Figure 1.10 Motor Comparison with Various Cooling Schemes.

L, R adjustable.

$L \leq 0.83\text{m}$  ;  $R \leq 0.41\text{m}$

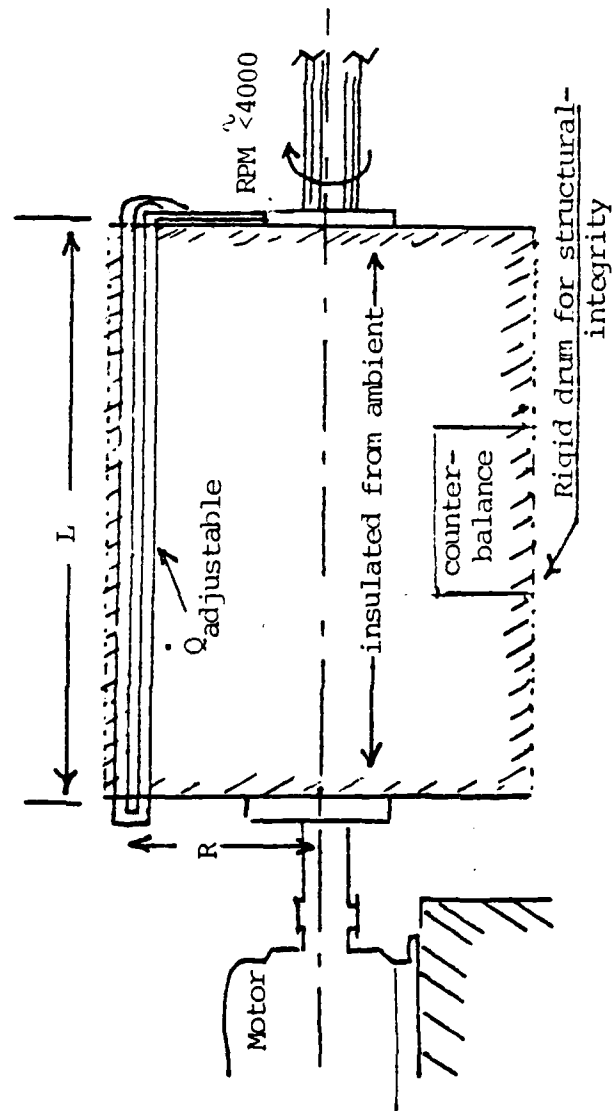


Figure 1.11 Test Rig for Analysis (DTNSRDC developed).



## II. SINGLE-PHASE FLUID COOLING

Single-phase cooling has been extensively investigated with regard to rotating references. Work was stimulated early by the printing industry, with the need to cool printing roll mills. The work was further encouraged by the gas turbine industry with the need to cool high-temperature turbine blades, which rotate at high RPM, and by the electrical machine industry, where the need to cool large, powerful generators became a necessity. Research in the study of flow and heat transfer in a rotating reference system is applicable to forced-convection flow, buoyant flow in thermosyphons, and the single-phase flows of closed two-phase devices.

A theoretical analysis of flow in a heated, horizontal tube without rotation by Morton [Ref. 11] was completed in 1957. Although his analysis was limited to non-rotating flows, it gave considerable insight into buoyancy-induced secondary flows. His analysis was limited to laminar convection in horizontal, uniformly-heated tubes at low Rayleigh numbers (based on the temperature gradient along the pipe wall). The work was an extension of the study by Nusselt who ignored the gravitational (accelerational) effects and, therefore, was independent of orientation. This study was a numerical solution to the governing equations assuming small rates of heating and a notable variation of density along the pipe length giving rise to secondary flows. A similar study was completed by Kays [Ref. 12] in 1955. Morton studied this secondary flow driven by the buoyancy effects and the resultant temperature distribution by successive approximation in a power series (this is similar to the flow in a pipe rotating about a

perpendicular axis). Second-order terms were required to account for the secondary flow. The basic equations and development are presented in Appendix A, and are the basis for many later studies. This development is adapted to the rotating case by the substitution of centripetal acceleration for the gravitational acceleration term.

The configuration of the cooling loop has three distinct regions which must be considered: the radial sections of tubing (oriented along the line of the centripetal acceleration), the entrance regions of the axial sections, and the axial sections through the conductor bars (oriented parallel to the axis of rotation). Additionally, it must be determined whether the flow is laminar or turbulent. The development will be reviewed chronologically within each topic with sample calculations made for pertinent correlations in Appendices B and C as noted.

#### A. HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT OF ONCE-THROUGH COOLING

In the 1968 publication, "Recent Advances in Heat Transfer" [Ref. 13], Kreith made a survey of virtually all the work to that date that had transpired in the field of convection heat transfer in rotating systems. His section on concentric cylinders and rotating tubes summarized the works mentioned herein, although principally evaluating the reports using gases as the fluid media. He presents the concept of utilizing a thermosyphon for the cooling of rotors, the theory of which is intimately related to the previous work with single-phase heat transfer, which will be discussed later. Kreith also describes the three different sections (radial, entrance, axial) of the device which this study is addressing. These have been analyzed individually both experimentally and theoretically. The inlet region has the swirl effect due to the Coriolis force, which is a

function of the Rossby number, or the swirl number (the reciprocal of the Rossby number); the radial and axial tube sections have, when a significant centrifugal acceleration term is present, noticeable hydrostatic effects and, additionally, buoyant effects when a density differential exists.

### 1. Radial Sections

Extending his research to a vertical tube rotating about a perpendicular axis, Morris [Ref. 14] confirmed that the approximate solutions must include second-order terms by studying low heating rates and using a method similar to Morton, but including tangential terms as well as radial acceleration terms. He identified the three components of convection:

- 1) Forced convection due to the externally-generated pressure gradient,
- 2) Gravitational buoyancy in the axial direction, and
- 3) Rotational buoyancy due to centrifugal and Coriolis forces.

The relative magnitude of the terms due to item 3) is characterized by the Rossby number. This is a ratio of the inertia force to the Coriolis force. Although the Rossby number exists in the velocity and temperature fields for solutions through the second order, it has no effect on the solutions for heat transfer or flow resistance. Since at the nominal rotation rates and eccentricity that exist in rotating electric machinery, the centrifugal acceleration is much much greater than the gravitational acceleration, the former will dominate.

In their 1968 report on heat transfer in rotating, radial, circular pipes in the laminar region, Mori and Nakayama [Ref. 15] continued their research by evaluating steady, fully-developed flow with analytical techniques.

Using the boundary-layer concept, they correlated their results with experimental work by Trefethen. They gave correlations for the  $(Nu/Nu_0)$  ratio as a function of the angular velocity, Reynolds, Prandtl, and rotational Reynolds numbers for fluids with Prandtl numbers above and below unity (i.e., gases, liquids, glycerol, and liquid metals). Their study confirms the stabilizing effect of the secondary flow on the critical Reynolds number and notes that laminar solutions are still valid when the Reynolds number is considerably large ( $12,600$  @  $\Omega = 500$  rad/s).

As a second report on the subject of rotating radial pipes, Mori, et al. [Ref. 16] evaluated secondary flow effects due to the Coriolis force by assuming a boundary layer along the wall. With experimental results and correlations from previous work, they were able to show that the effect of secondary flow is less in the turbulent region than in the laminar region, although still on the order of a 10% increase over the value without secondary flow. The correlations they presented agree with their previous report [Ref. 15] and with experimental results with air; they are presented as a ratio of Nusselt numbers based on an exponential function of the Reynolds and Prandtl numbers and are given for a wide range of Prandtl numbers including gases and liquids.

Ito and Nanbu [Ref. 17] experimentally measured friction factors for flow in rotating, straight pipes of circular cross-section, and compared their results to those of Trefethen and Mori & Nakayama. Their empirical correlations for friction factor ratios for two ranges of  $K_t$  (where  $K_t = J^2/Re$  and  $J = \Omega d^2/\nu$ ) are shown in equations (2.1) and (2.2) for the turbulent region,  $K_t \geq K_{tcr}$ . These are as follows:

$$f/f_0 = \begin{cases} 0.942 Kt^{0.282}, & 1 \leq Kt \leq 500, \\ 0.942 Kt^{0.05}, & Kt > 500. \end{cases} \quad (2.1)$$

Below a  $Kt$  of 1, the friction factor practically coincides with the stationary friction factor given by Blasius:

$$f_{0t} = 0.316 Re^{-0.25}. \quad (2.3)$$

For laminar flow, which occurs when  $Kt$  is below  $Kt_{cr}$ , the following correlation applies:

$$f/f_{01} = 0.0883 K1^{0.25} (1 + 11.2 K1^{-0.325}), \quad (2.4)$$

where  $K1 = J \cdot Re$ . Equation (2.4) is valid for  $2.2 \cdot 10^2 < K1 < 10^7$  and  $(J/Re) < 0.5$ . The friction factor without rotation is given by:

$$f_{01} = 64/Re \quad (2.5)$$

Transition occurs at:

$$Kt_{cr} = 1.07 J^{1.23} \cdot 10^3 \quad (2.6)$$

or

$$Re_{cr} = 1.07 J^{0.23} \cdot 10^3 \quad (2.7)$$

for the range  $28 < J < 2 \cdot 10^3$ . Calculation of the pressure drop would be required in the detailed calculations for design of a cooling system, especially of the closed, rotating-loop system.

## 2. Axial Sections

Kuo, et al. [Ref. 18] analyzed the heat-transfer characteristics of water flowing through a partially-filled pipe which was rotating about its own axis and which was maintained at a constant heat flux. They also summarized the previous pertinent works that were available at the time the paper was written. The paper illustrates how the transition from gravitational to centrifugal force is accompanied by instabilities as previously discussed by Taylor [Ref. 19] and [Ref. 20]. The authors calculated a critical Taylor number at which the Nusselt number changes its functional dependence on the Reynolds number. The paper also shows how the heat transfer is accomplished within a layer around the periphery of the pipe. A correlation for this film thickness is provided, and experimental results confirm its validity and illustrate how the increasing depth of the film in the rotating pipe, up to completely full, does not enhance the heat transfer beyond the critical depth value. The range of the rotational Reynolds numbers used in the experimental work was between 4,000 and 20,000; the enhancement  $(Nu/Nu_0)$  was approximately up to 240%.

Cliver [Ref. 21] analyzed natural convection in a horizontal tube with no rotation, following the work of Colburn [Ref. 22]. This study, while pointing out several problems with the original research and basic criticisms noted by Martinelli [Ref. 23], combines the work of many authors to obtain a correlation (equation (2.8)) for the Nusselt number in terms of the Graetz, Grashof, and Prandtl numbers and the  $L/D$  ratio. The paper also points out that the Grashof number must be evaluated using the temperature gradient along the pipe axis instead of the gradient from the pipe wall to the fluid mean temperature.

$$Nu \left( \mu_w / \mu_b \right)^{0.14} = 1.75 \left[ Gz_m + 5.6 \times 10^{-4} \right]$$

$$(Gr_m Pr_m (L/d))^{0.70} 0.333. \quad (2.8)$$

The correlation is supposed to incorporate the effects of natural convection along with forced convection by vector addition, but he notes that the velocity profile of the fluid flow is critical in the analysis and that natural convection in the case of horizontal tubes should be independent of  $L/D$  beyond the entry region. For this concept, a correlation is also provided for the Nusselt number without the  $L/D$  term:

$$Nu (\mu_w/\mu_b)^{0.14} = 1.75 \{Gz_m + 0.0083(Gr_m Pr_m)^{0.75}\}^{0.333}. \quad (2.9)$$

The study of the Taylor vortices was continued by Pattenden [Ref. 24] using a horizontal (axial) tube rotating about its own axis. Due to problems in the slip-ring apparatus used in the experimental work, the errors in the accurate measurement of the temperature precluded specific determination of exponents for the Reynolds number in the correlation for the heat-transfer-coefficient equation. Qualitative analysis of the enhancement due to tube rotation was made, noting that the axial-flow effects were small compared to the rotational effects. Taylor vortices were neither confirmed, nor denied; the flow was sufficiently turbulent to mask the effects that the vortices may have had. Rotation rates were varied to a maximum of 4,000 RPM.

Mori, et al. [Ref. 25] investigated further into the effects of buoyancy on forced-convective heat transfer in horizontally-oriented, heated tubes with laminar flow. His study extended the work of Graetz and Nusselt, and went beyond the limitation of small heat fluxes such as those studied by Colburn, McAdams, Martinelli, et al., Jackson, et

al., and Oliver. The majority of the experimental work by the authors was performed with a constant wall temperature and large  $L/D$  ratio. Their study involved a large temperature difference between the wall and the fluid such as would occur with large heat flux. The change in viscosity with temperature is approximately covered with the  $(\mu_w / \mu_b)^{0.14}$  term in equation (2.8), but the effect of natural convection has not been included specifically. This effect was shown [Ref. 11] as a function of the  $ReRa$  product; it is applicable in the range of  $PeRa$  less than 3,000, but within this range the effect of natural convection does not exceed several percent. The Payleigh number is a function of the fourth power of the diameter; therefore, the effect that natural convection makes in small-diameter channels is small. This illustrates that in the thin layer near the wall, the temperature and velocity change abruptly and are quite different from that in the inner part of the fluid. When the  $ReRa$  product is large, the secondary flow is strong and the velocity distribution in the axial direction is utterly different from the Poiseuille flow assumed in the previous works. The Nusselt number is then calculated by:

$$Nu = 2aq / k(t_w - t_m) \quad (2.10)$$

where the stationary Nusselt number for constant heat-flux case is:

$$Nu_0 = 48/11. \quad (2.11)$$

The experiments were conducted with air and fluids with higher Prandtl numbers; they were only considering heating in a gravitational field (not an acceleration field due to rotation). In this case, the layer near the wall becomes thinner and the Nusselt number increases with the increasing



ReRa. The local Nusselt number for the experimental correlation (for air) is given by:

$$Nu = 0.61 (ReRa)^{0.2} (1 + 1.8 / (ReRa)^{0.2}) \quad (2.12)$$

This study was extended into the turbulent region, where the highest point of the temperature distribution was found to shift in the direction of gravity slightly. In this case, the effect of the secondary flow was not as significant as in the case of laminar flow. The Nusselt numbers calculated within this regime were in good agreement with those of Colburn [Ref. 22], where:

$$Nu = 0.0204 Re^{0.8}. \quad (2.13)$$

Mori and Nakayama used the theoretical analysis of their previous research [Ref. 26] and [Ref. 27] on straight pipes rotating about a parallel axis [Ref. 28]. Analyzing the body forces driving the secondary flow caused by density differences in the centrifugal field and the Coriolis force with regard to the flow, they used fundamental principles to characterize the flow and temperature fields. This was done assuming an effective secondary flow due to buoyancy and using the rotational Reynolds number. This would indicate a rapid divergence from the results of Morris [Ref. 14] and shows that Coriolis effects cannot be ignored. The paper gave correction factors as a function of Reynolds, rotational Reynolds, and rotational Rayleigh numbers, and concluded that the Coriolis effects diminish with increasing eccentricity (higher g-fields) to a negligible value when the ReRa product is greater than 10,000,000.

In 1968, Nakayama [Ref. 29] further analyzed a horizontal, straight pipe rotating about a parallel axis. He assumed, as previously [Ref. 15], that an effective

secondary flow in fully-developed conditions of flow and temperature fields existed, and included body-force terms explicitly. The correlations he obtained for both the ratio of friction factors and the ratio of Nusselt numbers are valid over a large range of Prandtl numbers for both liquids and gases, as well as for a wide range of Reynolds and Grashof numbers. The correlation for the Nusselt number for liquids in fully-developed flow is:

$$Nu = Re^{0.8} Pr^{0.4} \{0.033 (Re/\Gamma^{2.5})^{1/30}$$

$$(1+0.014/(Re/\Gamma^{2.5})^{1/6})\} \quad (2.14)$$

where  $\Gamma = Re^{22/13} (GrPr^{0.6})^{-12/13}$ . The  $\Gamma$  term is the ratio of inertia force to body force. Inertia force is represented by  $Re^{22/13}$ , and the remaining terms in  $\Gamma$  represent the body force. The body force is either the Coriolis force in the case of the inlet region, curved regions, or the radial arms, or the centrifugal force in the case of the axial section. The numerical result of his correlations for the model presented in Chapter I is included in Appendix B for both turbulent and laminar liquids.

Siegwarth, et al. [Ref. 30] further evaluated the effect that bouyancy-induced secondary flow would have on laminar flow in a heated, horizontal pipe without rotation. His work showed clearly that secondary flows did exist due to density variations and that the heat transfer was enhanced by them as a function of the Grashof and Prandtl numbers. This effect is somewhat negated in the presence of extreme acceleration as that in the periphery of a rotor, but remains nonetheless, provided the turbulence is below the critical Reynolds value.

With no assumptions as to the structure of the flow and temperature fields to simplify the governing equations, Woods and Morris presented a numerical solution to the case of the rotating cylindrical tube [Ref. 31] with laminar, fully-developed flow. Data were compared to the theoretical results for the case of air, water, and glycerol. The correlation obtained is in terms of the Rayleigh-Reynolds-Prandtl product as is given by:

$$Nu = Nu_0 \{0.262 (RaRePr)^{0.173}\}. \quad (2.15)$$

The value for the test model is calculated and presented in Appendix B.

Stephenson again studied this parallel, rotating-pipe, heat-transfer problem for fully-developed turbulent flow. He compared his experimental results and correlation with the earlier work of Morris and Woods [Ref. 32] and they compared favorably within the turbulent entrance region. He noted that the rotational buoyancy was not a strong factor in the secondary-flow in the fully-developed region. Because of this, his results, when compared against Nakayama's results assuming a strong effect [Ref. 29], did not compare well. His correlation is listed below:

$$Nu = 0.0071 Re^{0.68} Jo^{0.023} \quad (2.16)$$

and is compared with previous correlations for the test model in Appendix B.

### 3. Entrance Regions

In 1969, the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, Thermodynamics and Fluid Mechanics Group, sponsored a symposium, on the subject of heat transfer and fluid flow in electrical machines. Included in the presentations was a

paper by Davidson [Ref. 33], which described a full-size, generator-rotor test rig for evaluating the heat-transfer characteristics of hydrogen cooling. His testing showed that enhancement in the turbulent flow regimes was not as high as theoretically predicted. It was hypothesized that the reason was the inability of the hydraulic-diameter concept to accurately account for the flow conditions in the non-circular ducts. The tests were able to give a good turbulent correlation with theoretical prediction when the cooling scheme was modified by shortening the axial path. This effect, although not explained, could have been due to the Coriolis swirl effect in the inlet region enhancing the heat transfer above that to be obtained in the fully-developed region.

The effects of the entry length, especially with low Prandtl numbers such as those of gases, are very difficult to eliminate and the Coriolis effects on the heat transfer may be noted even at high Reynolds numbers. As the Reynolds-Rayleigh product increases above about 1,000,000, there is a tendency for the amount of enhancement to diminish. This is attributed to the turbulent effects overriding the secondary flow enhancement. The effect of rotation on heat transfer is to enhance it in the entrance regions by the secondary flow due to the Coriolis effects and in the fully-developed, horizontal-tube regions by buoyancy effects. A similar survey of the technology was made by Petukhov and Polyakov in the USSR with much the same results [Ref. 34]. The heat-transfer problem in the entrance region of a tube, where the Coriolis terms dominate, is addressed by Morris and Woods [Ref. 32]. Correlations are presented for air and are applicable for other gases as well. These correlations, for both the laminar and the turbulent cases, are presented as functions of the product of the Reynolds number and the

rotational-Reynolds number. The Morris and Woods paper notes that further work is required in the case of liquids, although a similar approach is valid. Mori and Nakayama also presented a survey of the state-of-the-art technology regarding the heat-transfer characteristics of rotating pipes and ducts [Ref. 35]. The questions of the entrance effect and its length were emphasized as being generally unanswered, but they gave a general guideline for determining the extent of the entrance region as approximately 20 times the diameter of the pipe. They also verified correlations of previous works for helium and water.

#### 4. Combinations of Radial, Horizontal, and Entrance Sections

Also presented in the 1969 Institution of Mechanical Engineers Symposium was a study by Lambrecht [Ref. 36], which discussed the problems associated with water cooling of rotors. His paper summarized the theoretical considerations, as well as reviewed his previous work and the work of fellow German researchers (Neidhoeffler and Ingenieure). He noted the superior cooling properties of water and the size and weight reduction, along with the improved efficiency of water-cooled machines. He listed values for the optimum cooling duct size based on the heat-transfer and electrical-loss characteristics for various gases. The method used for optimum duct calculation was based on the principle that the pressure drop in the duct decreases with increasing duct size and electrical losses increase with decreasing conductor area (increasing duct size). A suitable calculation of this type is necessary in any final design for cooling of these devices by any method devised for either the single- or the two-phase approach.

In 1970, Sakamoto and Fukui measured heat- and mass-transfer coefficients for air and oil, specifically for

use in cooling rotating electric machines [Ref. 37]. Noting that the most effective and economic method to increase the power output of electrical machines was to improve the cooling of the insulating material (especially in the rotor conductors and drums), a geometry similar to a typical rotor was fabricated and suitable coolants were tested. The convective heat transfer was characterized as a function of the  $L/d$ ,  $Re$ ,  $Grr$ ,  $Pr$  variables, with the  $H/d$  parameter held constant. When the shape factor of eccentricity  $H/d$  is sufficiently large, the centrifugal acceleration may be assumed to be a uniform acceleration ( $2H$ ) acting on the tube axis, which is similar to the force gravity exerts on a horizontal tube. With a low Reynolds number, the empirical correlation was in the form:

$$Nu = Nu_0 (1 + C (Rar)^m / Gz)^n, \quad (2.17)$$

where the values of the constants were:

$$C = 0.03 \quad m = 0.75 \quad n = 1/3$$

and where  $Nu = 1.86 (RePrd/L)^{0.33}$  for large  $L/d$  values, and  $Nu = 2.67 Gz^{0.33}$  for small  $L/d$  values.

This was valid within +10% to -17% for Reynolds numbers between 162 and 2,700 and rotational Rayleigh numbers to 20,000,000. It was also found that the length of the entrance region seemed to have no effect on the correlation, which would imply that a secondary flow existed in both configurations. An interesting point in this paper is that the rotational Grashof number (hence the rotational Rayleigh number) was calculated using the temperature difference between the wall and the fluid instead of the axial temperature gradient.

Woods and Morris investigated laminar flow in the rotor windings of directly-cooled, electrical machines in 1974 [Ref. 38] and noted that if water was used as the

coolant in lieu of hydrogen (which is currently widely used), an efficiency improvement of  $>0.5\%$  could be obtained. Given that the  $0.5\%$  of a large, say 1,000 MW, generator was the only consideration made (and neglecting the size and weight reduction and the extended operating life possible due to the cooler operation), they proceeded to analyze the fundamentals of the problem. They surveyed the previous works directly applicable to this area of cooling;

1) Morris [Ref. 14] used a series-expansion technique (valid for low rotation rate and low heating rates), and

2) Mori and Nakayama [Ref. 28] assumed a secondary flow (which was claimed to be valid for high rotation rates), and used an integral-type analysis.

Woods and Morris claimed both were inadequate due to the restrictions imposed by the nature of their solutions. They attempted a versatile and "exact" solution for laminar flow in the fully-developed region by solving the governing equations with a numerical procedure. Numerical solutions were presented for both the friction factors and the Nusselt numbers. Their analytical values were compared with experimental results and to correlations of previous works. Discrepancies were explained and the difficulty in obtaining fully-developed conditions in the experiments of their work and previous works was emphasized. The axial density-variation effects were noted, also, as a potential for error in their analysis at high values of rotational Rayleigh numbers.

Nakayama and Fuzicka evaluated the generator problem, where reasonably large radii of rotors (approximately 1 m) and high RPM (3600) create high centrifugal acceleration effects [Ref. 39]. This acceleration causes the centrifugal buoyancy term to be significant. It also

emphasizes the Coriolis term in the radial tube segments and curved inlet regions. They presented correlations for the ratio of friction factors and the ratio of Nusselt numbers, arriving at friction-factor ratios for each of the three regions (radial, curved inlet, and axial), and compared the results to experimental data. Their correlations are listed below:

$$f/f_0 = 2.2 Ro^{-0.33} \quad (\text{radial}) \quad (2.18)$$

$$f/f_0 = 1.5 Ro^{-0.3} \quad (\text{coil end}) \quad (2.19)$$

$$f/f_0 = 14.0 Ro^{-0.8} \quad (\text{axial}) \quad (2.20)$$

$$Nu = Re^{0.8} Pr^{0.4} \{0.014 (Re/Ro^{2.5})^{0.124}\} \quad (\text{radial}) \quad (2.21)$$

Their report confirms the results of Nakayama's correlation (equation (2.14)) for the axial sections.

The application of the technology of rotating cooling schemes is not limited to the printing industry and electric machine area; extensive research has been devoted to this field of study by the gas turbine industry. The Advisory Group for Aerospace Research and Development (AGARD) held a meeting in September, 1977, at Ankara, Turkey, to discuss High Temperature Problems in Gas Turbine Engines. Numerous papers were presented on the subject including a paper by W.D. Morris on flow and heat transfer in rotating coolant channels [Ref. 40]. He used a selection of experimental results to illustrate the influence of



rotation on heat transfer, and demonstrated that Coriolis and centripetal inertial effects significantly alter the heat-transfer characteristics compared to the stationary case. Using the governing equations, he illustrated how the Navier-Stokes equations are modified to include the acceleration effects of the Coriolis forces and the centripetal forces. For constant properties, these equations then show how at distances sufficiently downstream from the entry region, where the axial gradients of the velocity are negligible, the elimination of the pressure-gradient terms from the radial and tangential momentum equations causes the Coriolis terms to vanish identically as a source for the creation of secondary cross-stream flow; see also [Ref. 14].

In the entry region, the Coriolis terms interact with the developing axial velocity and create secondary flows perpendicular to the axial direction, even with the constant property condition. Finally, in the fully-developed region, the effect of the rotation manifests itself only as a cross-stream pressure distribution if buoyancy terms are neglected. If the density is allowed to vary with temperature, the centripetal acceleration terms need only be included as the Coriolis terms do not affect this action. This cross-stream, buoyancy-induced flow gives rise to greatly-enhanced heat transfer and an attendant increase in flow resistance. The effects of the eccentricity, with regard to the Coriolis terms, has little effect, provided that the ratio of the radius ( $H$ ) to the diameter of the tube ( $d$ ) is greater than 5 (only very small radius of rotation will have any noticeable effects).

Marto [Ref. 41] lists the papers presented at the 14th Symposium of the International Centre for Heat and Mass Transfer (ICHMT) held in Dubrovnik, Yugoslavia, in 1982. Papers of particular interest to this study included a paper by Johnson and Morris [Ref. 42], wherein the concept of

centripetal-acceleration-induced secondary flow was proven to be of little importance, and its influence was shown to be totally hydrostatic. Their work also confirmed the effect of Coriolis acceleration with regard to secondary flows, especially in sections with relatively small  $L/d$  ratios. No quantitative recommendations were presented.

## 5. Flow Transitions

Mori [Ref. 25] states, when considering turbulent flow, that it is not necessary to consider the influence of buoyancy on heat transfer. The secondary flow was found to suppress the turbulence level when the turbulence at the inlet region was high and an empirical formula for the critical Reynolds number, in terms of the Reynolds number and Rayleigh number product, was calculated:

$$Re_{cr} = 128(ReRa)^{0.25}. \quad (2.22)$$

Contrary to this, when the turbulence at the inlet region was low, the critical Reynolds number was higher (7,700 vs. 2,000), and heating decreased the critical value. The net result was that when the  $ReRa$  value was high, the secondary flow caused by buoyancy makes the critical value of Reynolds number tend toward the same value, whether the turbulence in the inlet is high or low. In the case of low turbulence in the inlet, the value for the critical Reynolds number was given by:

$$Re_{cr} = Re_{cr_0} / (1 + 0.14 ReRa * 10^{-5}). \quad (2.23)$$

The graph shown as Figure 62 in the Krieth article [Ref. 13] is shown below as Figure 2.1. This graph shows the heat-transfer as a function of both the RPM and the flow-through Reynolds number. It is easy to see the flow's transitional

dependence on the Reynolds number as a function of PPM. For the experimental model being evaluated, where  $Re=7,400$  and  $Rar=7,400$ , the transition is delayed to  $Re=11,000$  for the correlation that assumes high turbulence at the entrance.

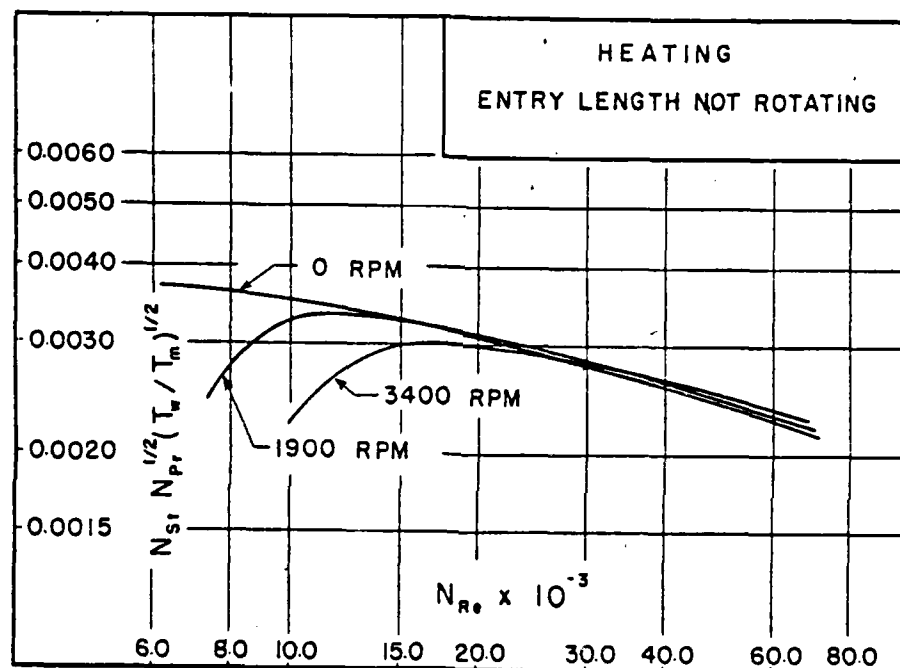


Figure 2.1 Effect of Rotational Speed in a Rotating Pipe.

The transition to turbulent flow is suppressed by rotation and has been qualitatively noted by numerous authors. An exact correlation for transition to turbulent flow in a rotating-reference frame with heating is not known to exist. From the available literature, it is clear that the transition follows a path from the laminar correlations

to the turbulent correlations. This path, in the case of the rotating reference, has a "dip" as shown qualitatively in a plot of the Nusselt number against the Reynolds number, Figure 2.2, whereas in the non-rotating case, no "dip" occurs.

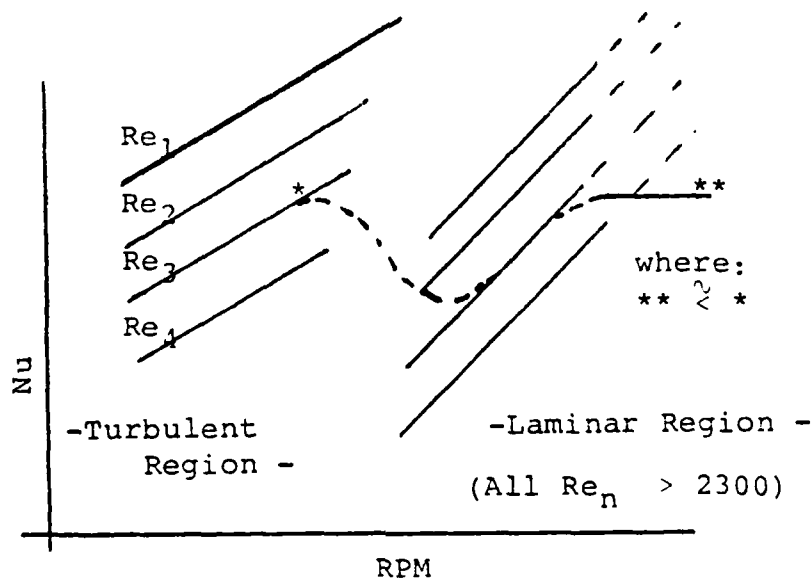


Figure 2.2 Transitional Characteristics of Rotating Systems.

## 6. Summary

Based upon the information reviewed in the literature, it may be concluded that the three regions within the motor/generator application (shown in Figure 1.11) have very different heat-transfer characteristics.

1) In the radial section of the coolant path, the Coriolis forces tend to dominate the heat transfer and friction. This effect is to enhance the heat transfer and increase the pressure drop in these sections. The heat-transfer enhancement is substantial and could be effectively exploited for the heat rejection from the device by axial forced-air convection of the substantially-hollow, synchronous rotor.

2) In the coil-end regions (both at the radial connection points and the coil-end loops) the Coriolis force is strong and is coupled with the strong centripetal forces. The result is enhanced heat-transfer and friction-factor effects, but to a lesser degree than in the radial sections.

3) In the winding bars, the centripetal forces dominate; these forces result in hydrostatic effects which limit flows that would be affected by the Coriolis forces and result in some degree of secondary flow due to buoyancy. The amount of secondary flow is questionable and is somewhat affected by the degree of turbulence and the amount enhancement is less specific.

The enhancement in the laminar-flow heat transfer has been reported by numerous authors. This can be seen in Figure 2.3. Both the Nakayama [Ref. 29] and the Woods-Morris [Ref. 31] correlations for Nusselt number fall between the classical laminar value of  $48/11$  and the turbulent value of the Dittus-Boelter correlation. They have the same trend throughout the range of RPM shown and differ by only a few percentage points. Apparently, the effect of rotation in laminar flow enhances the heat transfer because of intense secondary flows due to centripetal forces. An interesting point is that, at the higher RPM values, the correlations of Nakayama, Woods-Morris, Stephenson, and Dittus-Boelter all are exceptionally close together.

The heat-transfer predictions for turbulent, fully-developed, parallel flows are shown in Figure 2.4. This figure illustrates that the resultant heat transfer is somewhere in the vicinity of the classical turbulent correlation of Dittus-Boelter for the current model.

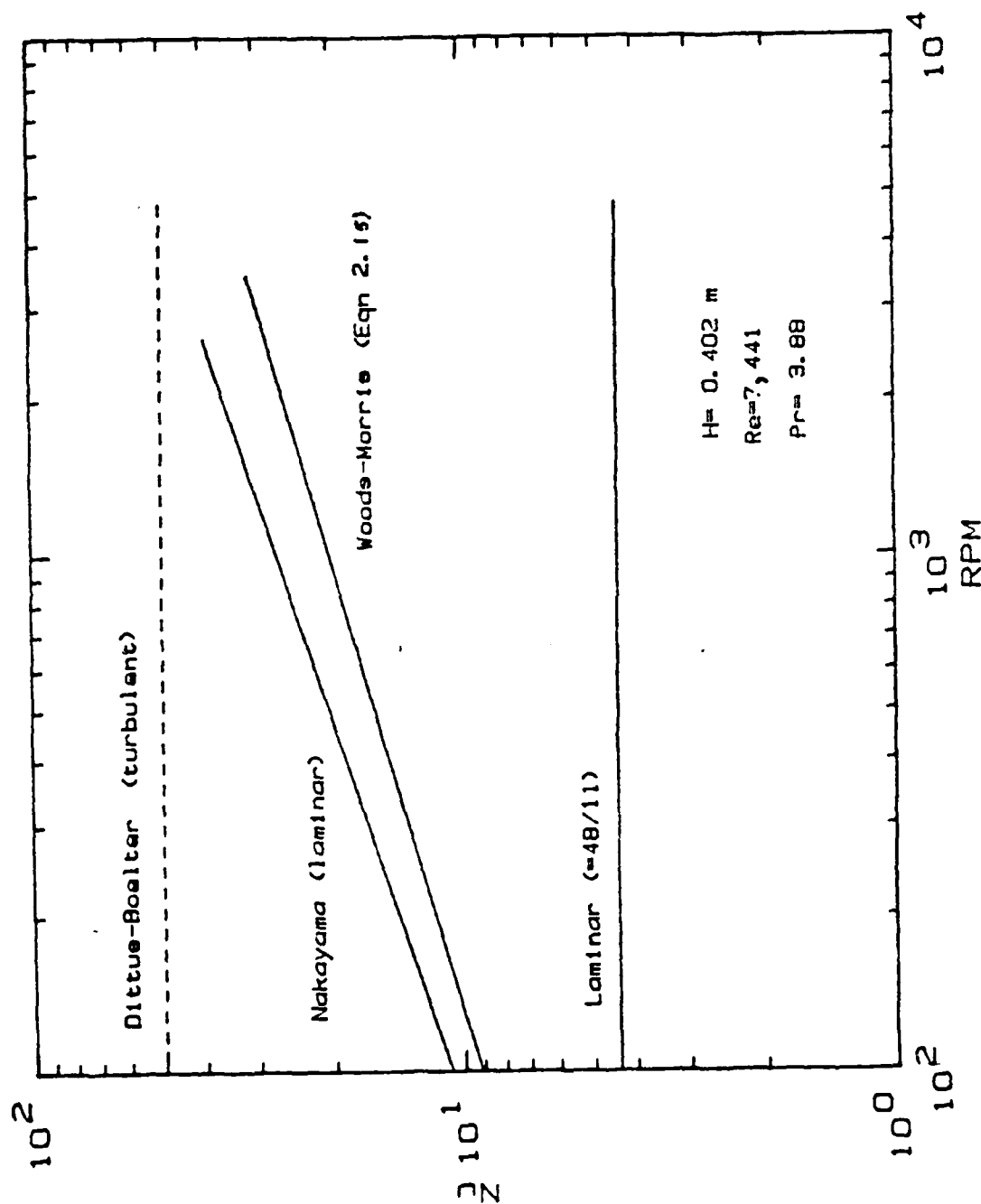


Figure 2.3 Variation of Laminar Nusselt Correlations with RPM.

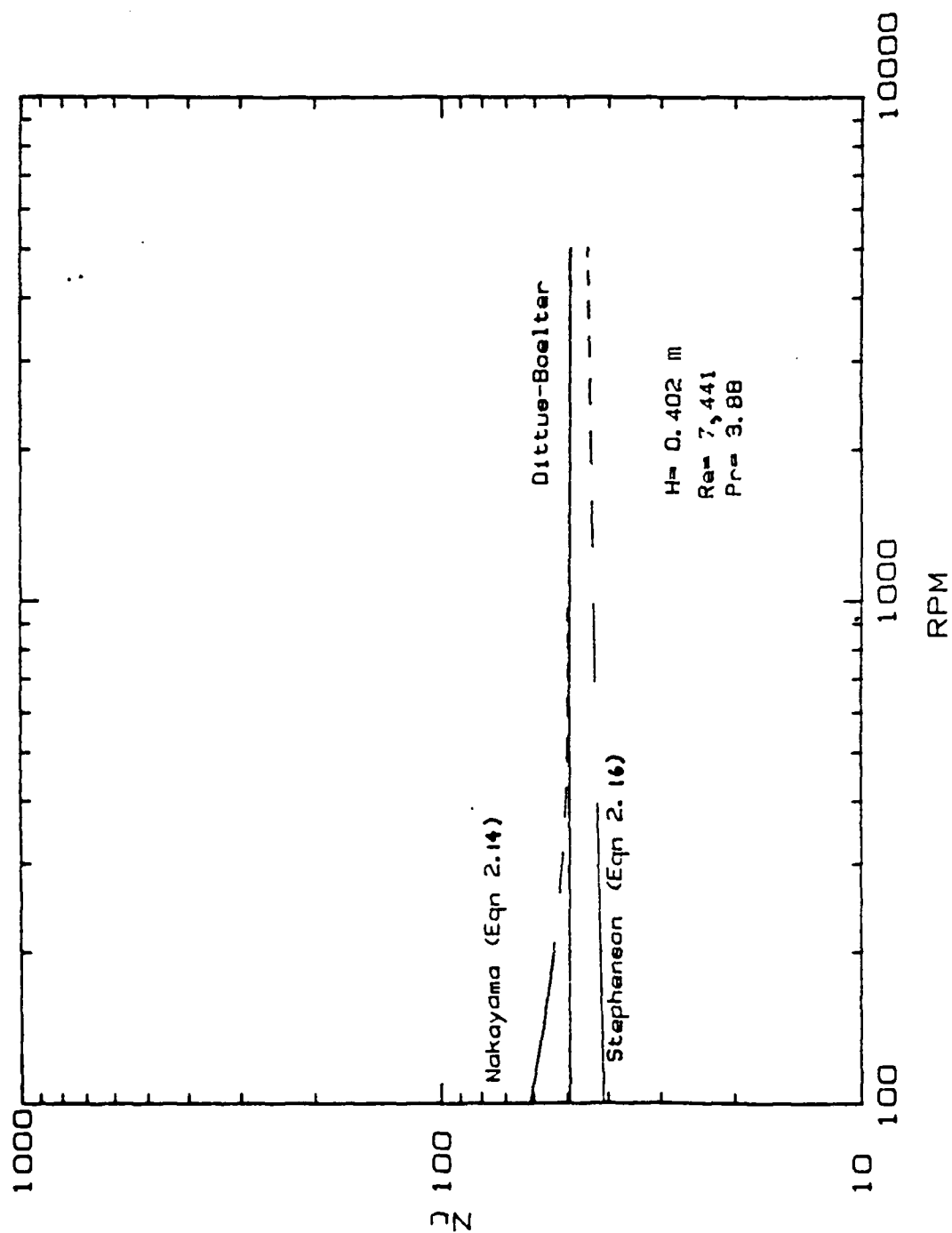


Figure 2.4 Variation of Turbulent Nusselt Correlations with RPM.

The heat transfer is either somewhat enhanced (on the order of 30%) in the lower RPM ranges (Nakayama [Ref. 29]), or somewhat suppressed by the high centripetal acceleration forces as shown by the correlation of Stephenson [Ref. 43].

The enhancement of the heat transfer in the Nakayama correlation [Ref. 29] in the lower RPM range is assumed to be due to the residual Coriolis effects from the entrance regions remaining longer in the lower centripetal acceleration field.

## B. HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT OF THERMOSYPHON COOLING

The thermosyphon is a device that creates the motion of the working fluid solely by buoyancy forces. It has a region where heat is supplied to the working fluid and a region where heat is rejected. The less buoyant, cooler portion of the fluid moves in the direction of the acceleration vector, while the opposite is occurring for the warmer portion. The thermosyphon also has a third region, the coupling region, with problems of fluid shear, mixing and entrainment. Figure 2.5 illustrates the conceptual arrangements of the three basic thermosyphon systems.

Kreith [Ref. 13] mentioned in his review that the thermosyphon (i.e., a liquid-filled container) had a great potential for cooling of electric rotating machinery. In motors and generators, the use of a thermosyphon would preclude the necessity of using rotating seals, which have marginal reliability in applications of high RPM and volumetric flow. In 1973, Japikse [Ref. 44] gave a thorough review of the literature regarding thermosyphon technology. Beginning with a reference to the Davies and Morris paper [Ref. 45], which will be discussed in detail later, Japikse categorizes thermosyphons as follows:



1) the nature of boundaries (either opened or closed to mass flow),

2) the regime of heat transfer (purely natural convection or mixed natural and forced convection),

3) the number and types of phases present, and

4) the nature of the body force present (gravitational or rotational).

These broad categories are then restricted to "....a prescribed circulating fluid system driven by thermal buoyancy forces."

The use of the closed thermosyphon in rotating references, such as in gas turbine cooling, has been studied in detail. In 1965, Bayley and Lock [Ref. 46] experimentally investigated the performance of closed thermosyphons. They utilized the theoretical development of the open thermosyphon, modified the theory, and experimentally verified their results. It was shown that the critical operating parameters include:

1) Length-to-Diameter Ratio. This ratio controls the characteristics of the flow and determines the extent of the coupling region.

2) Heated-Length-to-Cooled-Length Ratio. As this ratio tends toward zero, the analysis is identical to the open thermosyphon correlations. This restricts the use of the analysis for the closed thermosyphon to  $L_h/L_c$  ratio to be not much greater than one.

3) Coupling Region. This is the region that complicates the analysis and causes the Prandtl number to affect the heat transfer. It exists in three distinct modes; conduction, convection, and mixing. These are regarded as

ideals and actual coupling usually consists of a combination of all three.

Thermosyphon technology was also applied to transformer cooling, nuclear-reactor cooling, heat-exchanger fins, home and industrial furnaces, cryogenic cool-down apparatus, steam tubes for bakers' ovens, internal combustion engine cooling, and environmental control in the space vehicle program, as well as many others mentioned in the Japikse article.

In 1971, Bayley and Martin [Ref. 47] also reviewed the state-of-the-art technology, with particular emphasis on gas-turbine applications. They studied both the open and closed thermosyphon systems. The use of an open thermosyphon system in a rotating reference, such as in gas turbine cooling, as well as in the cooling of electric, rotating-machinery area, has problems regarding the fluid selection and its saturation temperature and pressure. In the open, rotating reference system, the region that receives the heat is under high acceleration forces with high resultant pressures. As the natural flow due to buoyancy occurs, the heated fluid moves from a high pressure to a relatively low pressure area where a phase change to vapor may occur, possibly even explosively, blocking the flow. They introduced the idea of using two-phase cooling within the closed thermosyphon as a way of exploiting this phenomenon, by using the high heat fluxes associated with the latent heats of evaporation and condensation and the lower temperature gradients associated with the phase change processes. This also has an added benefit of reduced weight over the single-phase liquid system. They noted that further research in the area of the Coriolis force effects on the heat-transfer characteristics in a rotating reference needed to be accomplished.

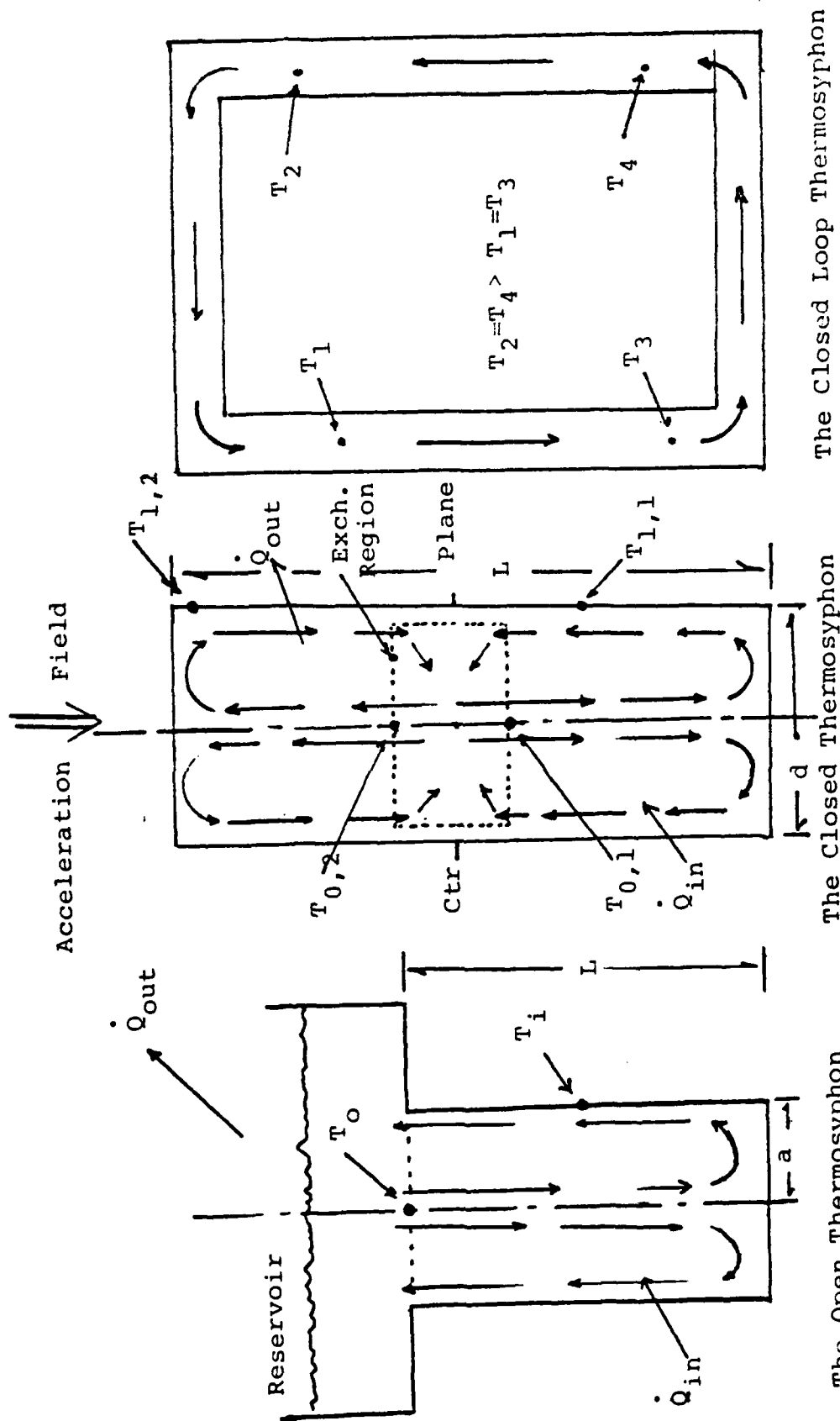


Figure 2.5 Various Thermosyphon Arrangements.

Applying the technology of the thermosyphon to electric machines, Morris and Davies [Ref. 45] adapted the principles of the closed thermosyphon to a closed rotating loop that could be placed into the rotor assembly of an electrical device. This configuration avoids the entry choking and mixing that occurs in the typical closed thermosyphon and generally avoids the complex mid-tube exchange process, as well as the adverse core-boundary layer interaction. The strong acceleration force present in the periphery of the rotor of electric rotating machinery, coupled with the heating due to the electrical losses, induces strong loop circulation. This heat can then be rejected either to the shaft of the rotor acting as a heat exchanger itself, to the air passing through the hollow rotor region and the air passing through the end-bell region of the rotor ends, or to both. The shaft, acting as a heat-exchanger itself, can be cooled with an internal, rotating heat-pipe (or two-phase thermosyphon) which could transfer the heat axially to another heat sink outside of the motor/generator casing. As an alternative, the shaft could be internally cooled by forced convection of water (or some other fluid) to an external heat exchanger through the non-coupling end of the shaft by the use of an axial rotating seal. The reliability and the casualty-control aspects of the axial rotating seal make it preferable to the radial rotating seal mentioned earlier.

Theoretical analysis of the loop-flow has used simple, one-dimensional force and energy balances, and need not be repeated here. The closed loop is shown in Figure 2.6 as conceptually applied to a rotor. Of course, numerous loops would be designed into the rotor to carry away the heat generated. Incorporation of a one-way valve was suggested as being necessary to insure one-directional flow created by the mean temperature difference and the pressure differences

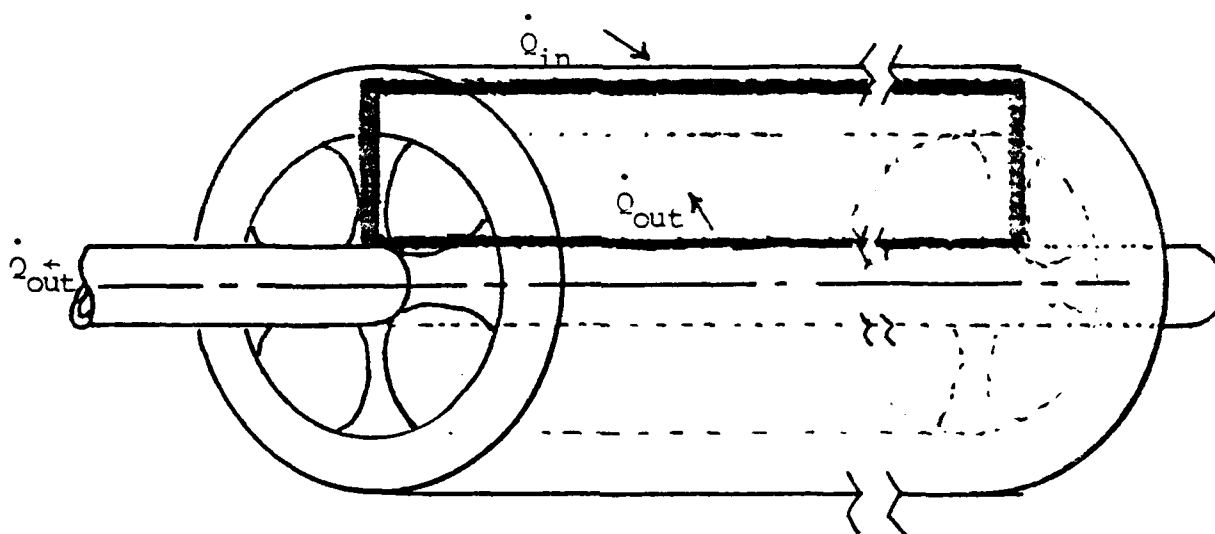


Figure 2.6 Rotating Loop Thermosyphon for a Rotor.

in the limbs of the circuit. Experimental testing was conducted in a test rig similar to the rig proposed for the evaluation of the systems studied herein and now under construction at DTNSRDC. A modest range of rotation rates was employed in the Morris and Davies test rig, typical of most motor applications. The details of their test section were very similar to the model used for analysis herein: 25.4 mm (one inch) diameter copper rod through which a 6.35 mm (0.25 inch) hole was bored. The experimental results were placed in the form:

$$Nu = f(Gr, Ro, Pr, Ac). \quad (2.24)$$

The ratio of angular acceleration to gravitational acceleration ( $Ac$ ) was the authors' way of including the rotational effects (previous authors have used the rotational Grashof number). The final correlation was:

$$Nu = 0.1505 Ac^{0.735} Re^{2.45} Pr/Gr \quad (2.25)$$

for the range of  $10^3 < NuGr/Pr < 10^6$ .

The critical consideration in the analysis of the closed-loop thermosyphon is the temperature rise in the heated limb (conductor bar). The model described in Chapter I was analyzed by using the governing relationships from the Davies and Morris [Ref. 45] paper iterated against the Woods and Morris [Ref. 31] correlation for laminar, fully-developed flow in a heated circular tube rotating about a parallel axis. It can be seen from Figure 2.7 that the heat transfer increases with RPM (the higher acceleration

TABLE II  
Temperature Rise in the Closed-Loop Thermosyphon

<u>RPM</u>	<u>Temp. Rise (C) *</u>
300	209.0
1000	93.5
3000	41.0
3600	35.5
5000	27.0

\* for a cold-side temperature of 45 C.

effect). For the conditions on the model which constructed Figure 2.7, the values of temperature rise is shown in Table II for various RPM's. This clearly shows that this method

of cooling, if selected, would be inappropriate for the motor device (i.e., low RPM); on the other hand, it could be very reasonable for the generator. The friction factor was assumed to be  $64/Re$  and no correction was made for the rotation in the friction-factor calculation; the minor losses were neglected. If the friction factor is increased due to the rotation, as in equation (2.4), and minor losses (laminar) are included, the temperature rise will be increased slightly. The trend will be the same and the temperature rise at the higher RPM's will still be acceptable. The actual design of the closed-loop thermosyphon will require an optimization of the heat-transfer calculations and the friction-factor calculations. This optimization may indicate that a larger, single, closed-thermosyphon loop for a conductor bar group is preferable over individual conductor loops.

### C. ADVANTAGES/DISADVANTAGES OF LIQUID COOLING

The main objectives of cooling are to remove the heat created by the electrical losses and improve the operating efficiency, extend the lifetime of the insulation, and reduce the overall weight and size of the device. The feature of liquid cooling (vs. gas cooling) is the superior capacity of liquids, especially water, to remove heat with a small rise in temperature. The principle disadvantage of using liquids, or gaseous fluids other than air, is the design of the piping, coupling, and secondary heat exchanger required to support the device cooled by the fluid. Since one of the main objectives is to reduce weight and size, the fluid chosen must be able to remove enough heat per unit mass to accomplish this goal within the device. Additionally, since the application under evaluation is marine combatants, the fluid should be non-toxic, and the

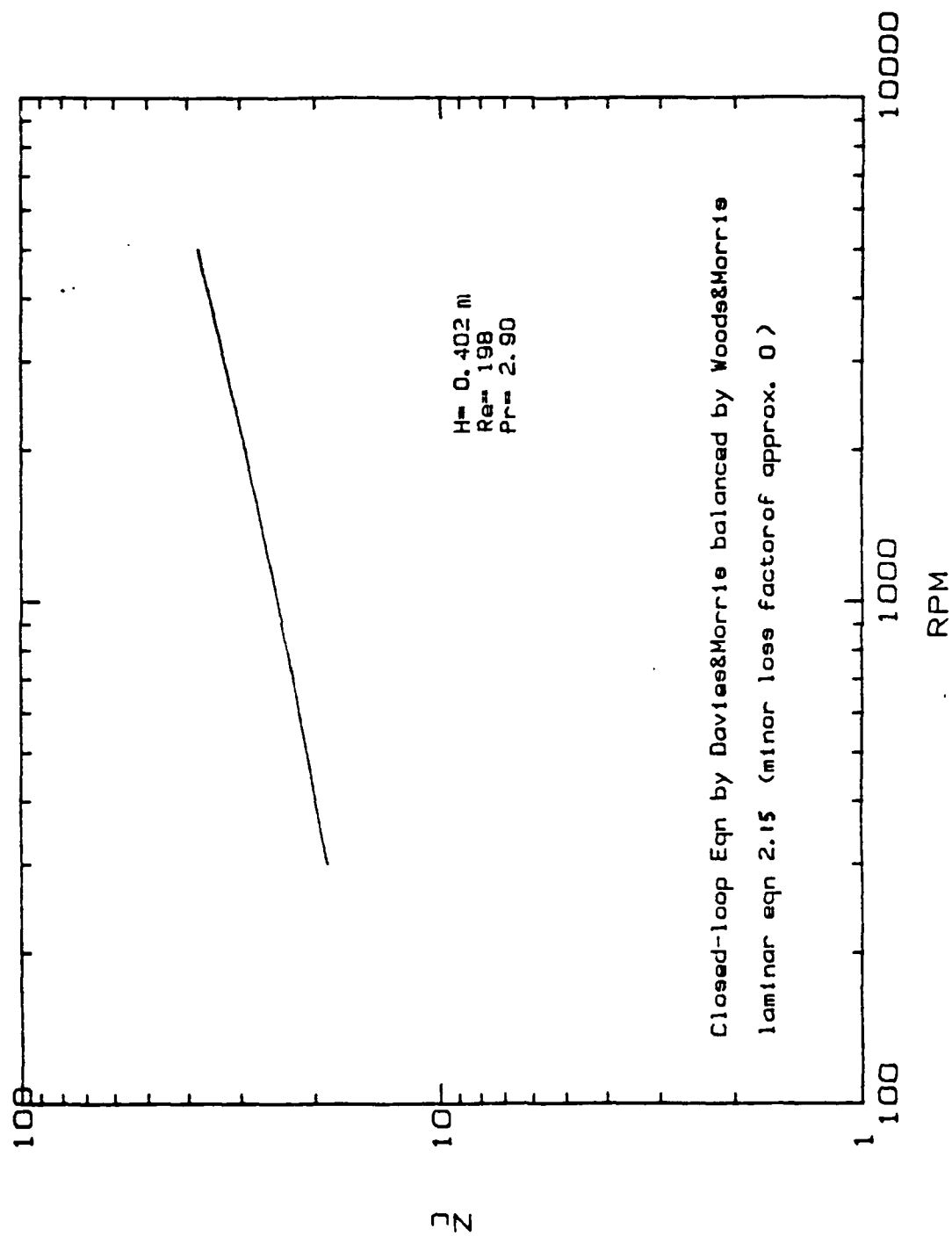


Figure 2.7 Thermosyphon Analysis for Nusselt number.



system should be durable enough to withstand damage and maintain operational safety. The popular fluid to date in land-based installations has been hydrogen which is clearly an unacceptable choice for the marine combatant due to its explosive nature and since the size reduction obtained is not sufficient to warrant system development. Of the remaining fluids, the obvious choice for its high heat capacity, availability, and safety, is water. The use of water has been tested both in stators and, on a limited scale, in rotors.

The principle problem to overcome in the use of water is in the rotary seals needed to direct the fluid into/out of the machine. Additionally, when the system inside the device is analyzed, the ability of a design to withstand damage is questionable. The design would be critically dependent on the fluid within the rotor for operation, even in a casualty mode. The supply of cooling water to a stator would not be as critical, since any casualty could be repaired easily with shipboard damage-control equipment, and emergency cooling of a stator could be accomplished by external means due to the thermal conductivity of the stator housing. For the rotor, this leaves a choice; either not utilize the enhanced cooling and suffer the weight and size penalties, or develop a closed system for cooling the rotor. The closed system for the rotor is not necessarily isolated. A closed-loop, thermosyphon could be placed in the rotor, transferring the heat from the rotor to the rotor shaft. This loop could have additional heat transfer to air passing through the core of the rotor. Further, the heat transferred to the shaft could be removed to the ambient air or an external heat exchanger utilizing the non-coupling end of the motor by the use of circulating water through the shaft, or by a rotating heat pipe as seen in [Ref. 48].

An additional method for cooling the rotor, which has been studied by numerous authors, is the use of heat pipes or closed, two-phase thermosyphons. In this case, the heat is transferred from the rotor to air circulated through the end-bell areas of the device. This method of rotor cooling greatly enhances the survivability of the device in a damage-control sense. Each heat pipe is independent of the others and damage to a few, unless all in the same group of adjacent conductor bars, would not jeopardize the device; indeed, even if all were in the same group, limited operation could continue.

### III. TWO-PHASE FLUID COOLING

The concept of utilizing the latent heat of vaporization to transfer heat is widely used in heat exchangers everywhere, from household and industrial boilers and space heaters to marine propulsion units. Air-conditioning equipment and heat-pump units also employ this idea to advantageously utilize the low temperature of vaporization of fluorocarbon compounds to remove the heat from the ambient and release this through condensation under pressure, thus transferring the heat in the desired direction at the cost of the energy to pump and pressurize the gas to the point of condensation. In each of these two-phase applications, the transport of the working fluid may require a pump, or it may be accomplished by the buoyant force that exists in an acceleration field, such as that due to gravity. This is the principle that is employed in the closed two-phase thermosyphon. This device is similar to the classical "heat pipe" and the only difference is that the "pumping" method in the heat pipe uses capillary action instead of acceleration forces to pump the fluid. Thus, a "heat pipe" used in a rotating reference utilizing the acceleration forces to transport the liquid from the condenser section to the evaporator section (in lieu of a wick) is, technically, a two-phase thermosyphon. Figure 3.1 illustrates the operation of the closed two-phase thermosyphon. The evaporator end must be in the direction of the acceleration field for the liquid to be transported from the condenser. Figure 3.2 illustrates the operation of the heat pipe, which utilizes the capillary action of the wicking material to transport the liquid from the condenser to the evaporator. The remainder of the chapter shall use these definitions for a discussion of both devices.

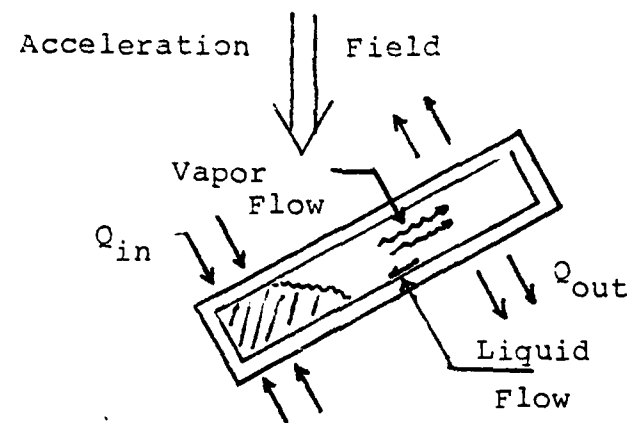


Figure 3.1 Typical Two-Phase Thermosyphon.

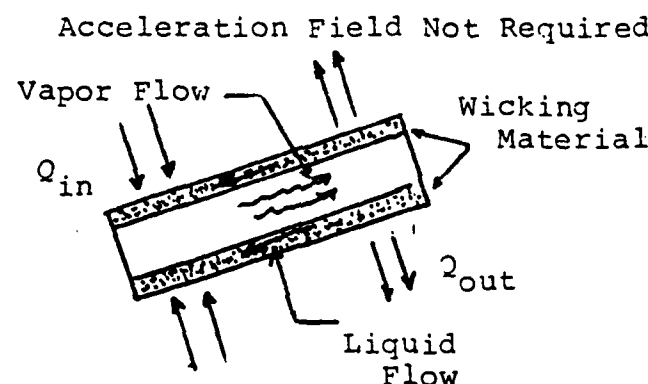


Figure 3.2 Typical Heat Pipe.

#### A. HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT

The development of the heat pipe (which will apply equally to the development required for the two-phase thermosyphon) was begun by Gaugler [Ref. 49] in 1944 and by Trefethen [Ref. 50] in 1962. Trefethen was working on cooling methods for spacecraft (zero-g environment) for General Electric Company and discovered that capillary

pumping can be a very valuable area for further development. Working independently, Grover, et al. [Ref. 51] reinvented this concept; he widely published the first applications of the device and gave it its name. Kraus, et al. [Ref. 52] have reported this historical development and have given sample calculations for the design of a heat pipe. Chi [Ref. 53] also reviews the theoretical development of heat pipes, and provides the design procedures, including sample calculations, for their utilization.

## B. CONVENTIONAL, CLOSED TWO-PHASE THERMOSYPHON ANALYSIS

As previously mentioned, the appealing factors associated with the two-phase utilization include: high heat fluxes associated with phase changes, lower temperature gradients associated with these processes, and reduced weight of the two-phase system over the single-phase liquid system.

Research by Cohen and Bayley [Ref. 54] (referred to and discussed by Japikse [Ref. 44]) found that the amount of liquid filling the system functionally affected the heat transfer in both rotating and static tests. They found that heat transfer increased as the percent liquid in the system was increased to approximately 1.5% by volume, then decreased to an intermediate value, and finally increased to approximately the same value as in the 1.5% case. This was related to the following process: in the low filling situation, condensate returns to the evaporator section and forms a thin film on the walls. It is in this film that the heat transfer occurs and the phase change takes place. In the case of the completely-filled evaporator, a liquid pool region develops, and a condition of nucleate boiling exists. If the filling is insufficient, with regard to the heat flux being transported, the pool/film will not continue to the

end of the heated section and "dry-out" will occur. This "dry-out" will assume a drop-wise instead of film-wise phase change. The geometry of the regions in which the films are likely to form, influences the results.

Lee and Mital [Ref. 55] conducted experiments with an electrically-heated, water-cooled thermosyphon using water and freon as the test fluids and varied the filling quantity,  $L_h/L_c$ , pressure (or  $T_{sat}$ ), and heat flux ( $L_h/L_c$  is the ratio of the length of the heated section to the cooled section). The result of the filling quantity on heat transfer was the same as that reported by Cohen and Bayley: increasing heat transfer with filling to a point and then decreasing beyond that value to an intermediate value and increasing to the case of the completely-filled evaporator. The effect of decreasing  $L_h/L_c$  was to increase the heat transfer within the range 0.8 to 2.0 and the advantage of larger condenser area was evident. The heat-transfer coefficient was found to increase significantly with increasing mean pressure due to at least three factors:

- 1) since the mass flow for a given heat flux is nearly constant and density of the liquid increases with pressure, a lower pressure drop (and lower  $\Delta T$ ) is necessary for the same heat flux;
- 2) for a larger  $P_{sat}$ ,  $P_{sat}$  varies much more rapidly with  $T_{sat}$  for the fluids considered, hence requiring smaller  $\Delta T$ 's at higher pressures; and
- 3) for lower pressure drops, a more favorable force balance exists on the condensate film permitting a faster liquid return.

Water was found to give heat fluxes superior to those of freon, for for the same  $\Delta T$ , due to the larger values of latent heat of vaporation, and thermal conductivity.

Lee and Mital [Ref. 55] also considered the analytical problem of predicting the maximum heat-transfer rate for a laminar film, constant-wall-temperature condenser and a constant-heat-flux evaporator. Neglecting the forces due to vapor pressure drop and momentum changes, and using a force balance on the falling film, balancing the effects of gravity and fluid shear, they related the mass flow rate to the heat flux. Using a local energy balance and an overall energy balance between the condensing section and the evaporator section, the following relations for the heat transferred ( $q$ ) and the saturation temperature ( $T_{sat}$ ) were obtained:

$$q = \{\rho^2 R^3 h_{fg} / 2 \mu L_h g_c\} C \quad (3.1)$$

and

$$q = \{k (T_s - T_c) / (R L_h / L_c)\} C / D \quad (3.2)$$

where  $C = 1/8 - 1/2 y^2 + 3/8 y^4 - 1/2 y^4 \ln y$ ,  
 $D = y^4 \ln y (1/2 \ln y^2 - 1/2) + 1/8 y^4 + y^2 (1/2 \ln y - 1/4) = 1/8$   
and  $y = 1 - \delta/R$ . The simplifying assumptions (forces due to vapor shear and momentum changes were neglected in the force balance) cause an error (of as much as a factor of 2) to occur, but qualitative behavior is correct as far as  $L_h/L_c$ ,  $T_{sat}$  and working fluid are concerned. This development is also included in the survey by Japikse [Ref. 44]. This heat transfer is graphically presented in the Lee and Mital paper in their Figure 12, shown here as Figure 3.3. This clearly shows that the quantity of heat that can be removed by a two phase water device is large, even at a low saturation temperature. The report also indicates that for water the increasing ratio of heated length to cooled length,  $L_+$ , decreases the maximum heat transfer. The heat transfer is also very sensitive to the operating pressure:

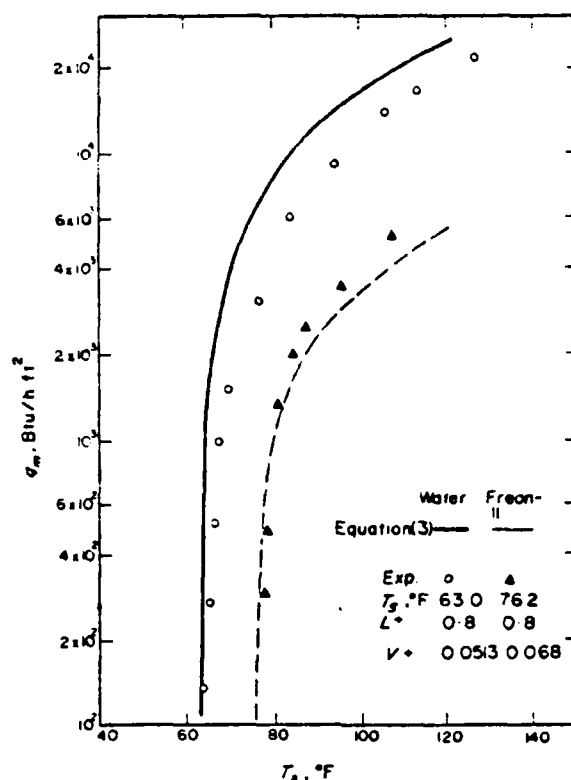


Figure 3.3 Comparison of the Experimental Results with the Analytical Prediction-from Lee & Mital paper.

the heat-transfer coefficient increases appreciably with the mean operating pressure. The temperature drop increases with the pressure drop along the length of the thermosyphon tube (and the saturation pressure gradient). As the pressure increases, the vapor specific volume decreases, resulting in a decrease in the pressure drop; the mass flow rate of the vapor is essentially constant for transferring a given heat input rate. In the previous papers, the vertically-oriented thermosyphon was considered and the current model (for some of the orientations) requires the device to be oriented in the horizontal direction (perpendicular to the applied acceleration field). Although the Lee and Mital paper was considering a vertically-oriented, two-phase thermosyphon, the general results are the same for the horizontal tube.



### C. LIMITS OF OPERATION

When considering the design of a two-phase thermosyphon, or a heat pipe, limitations to the heat transfer must be considered; four of these limits are common to both devices (sonic, entrainment, boiling, and condensing). A qualitative comparison of these heat-transfer limitations as a function of the saturation temperature is given in [Ref. 48] and is shown in Figure 3.4.

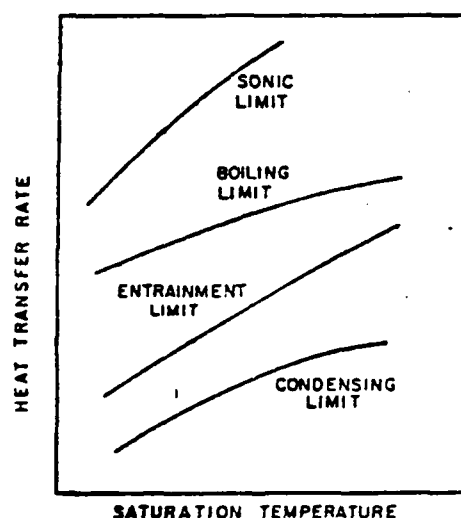


Figure 3.4 Operating Limits of Rotating Heat Pipes.

The sonic limit and the boiling limit have been readily analyzed. The entrainment and the condensation limits are not as well-known and little, if any, literature describing these phenomena exist. This is an area in which further research is needed.

1) Sonic limit: the vapor flow in a two-phase closed system is limited to the sonic velocity at the operating

pressure (also known as the "choking" limit). The sonic limit is represented by:

$$Q_{\max} = \dot{m} h_{fg} = \rho_v A_v V_s h_{fg} \quad (3.3)$$

where  $V_s$  is the sonic velocity of the vapor. This limiting velocity may be determined experimentally, computed by the relationship  $V_s = \{(\partial p / \partial \rho)_s\}^{1/2}$ , or approximated by the perfect-gas relationship  $\{YRT_{\text{sat}}\}^{1/2}$ .

2) Entrainment limit: the interfacial shear between the liquid and the vapor will hold the liquid (which is flowing in the opposite direction) back and starve the evaporator section of liquid. This counter-current flow, when the relative velocity is large, causes the interface to become unstable which results in waves at the interface. As the vapor velocity continues to grow, droplets of liquid are formed at the liquid surface as the shear force exceeds the surface-tension force. The formation of these droplets and their subsequent entrainment in the vapor stream causes the partial or total stoppage of the flow (dry-out). This phenomenon is generally governed by the Weber number (the ratio of the inertial force to the liquid surface-tension force). The Froude number is also used to characterize the phenomenon of the drop-wise entrainment of the liquid in the vapor stream. In the application considered herein, the formation of the waves is considered unlikely due to the extreme acceleration field present. Since the flow is counter-current and is in the presence of a high acceleration field the entrainment limitation thus will reduce to the "hold-up" limit. It will remain stratified until hold-up occurs, resulting in evaporator dry-out. Experimental determination of the exact correlation for the hold-up, or entrainment, limit is required for a horizontal

tube rotating around a parallel axis, thereby creating a perpendicular acceleration field many times greater than gravity. The entrainment limit is generally given by:

$$Q_{\max} = h_{fg} \rho_v A_v V_E, \quad (3.4)$$

where  $V_E$  is when the Weber number equals unity, the Froude number equals unity, or is experimentally found. In another approach, Jaster and Kosky [Ref. 56] used the ratio of the axial shear force of the vapor flow on the liquid surface to the gravitational (accelerational) body force upon the liquid (defined as "F") in order to arrive at an appropriate "hold-up" criterion. They correlated experimental data as a function of this "F" value, as the flow they were studying transitioned from stratified to annular. The result of their experiments was that the flow was stratified for "F" values below five (5) and was fully-annular above twenty-nine (29). The value of "F" set equal to five (5) was established as the criterion for the transition from stratified to annular for the co-current flow case. The same type of analogy was developed by Collier and Wallis [Ref. 57] who balanced the inertia force and the acceleration force to scale stratification effects where their criterion was given as  $j^*$  (volumetric flux) equal to 0.25. Both of these references point out the need for further research in this area.

3) Boiling limit: Again, as discussed in the first section of this chapter in the general discussion on two-phase thermosyphons, the boiling limitation in the current application is due to the creation of profuse nucleation at the evaporator section and a resultant vapor film on the evaporator surface which insulates the evaporator wall, resulting in dry-out and overheating. The boiling limit is given by the Zuber-Kutateladze prediction as discussed in [Ref. 48] and is given as:

$$Q_{\max} = 0.13 A_B \rho_v^{1/2} h_{fg} \{ \Omega^2 R (\rho_l - \rho_v) \sigma \}^{1/4}, \quad (3.5)$$

where  $A_B$  is the area in the evaporator section for liquid heating.

4) Condenser limit: The capacity of the condenser is dependent on many parameters, such as the geometry, the working fluid, the orientation of the vessel with respect to the acceleration field, and the operating conditions. The orientation of the vessel, for the model considered, is that of a horizontal tube (perpendicular to the acceleration field) with internal condensation. The condensing limit is the capacity to condense the vapor on the inside surface of the condenser section, and this is shown in Figure 3.4. No analysis on the outer surface is presented in this thesis. Instead, the condenser limit is based on the capacity of the inside wall exposed to condensation, using an arbitrary, but reasonable, wall temperature. (Generally, the largest thermal resistance occurs between the ambient and the condenser outer surface. Therefore, heat transfer is limited by this resistance unless the outside surface area is substantially increased by the use of fins.) The condensing limit is given by an equation from [Ref. 58] by Collier for a horizontal tube with internal condensation in a gravitational field as:

$$Q_{\max} = A_v \Delta T F_c \{ (\rho_l (\rho_l - \rho_v) g h_{fg} k_f^3) / D_{i1} (T_{\text{sat}} - T_w) \}^{1/4}. \quad (3.6)$$

For the rotating reference being considered, the "g" term in equation (3.6) is replaced by the centripetal acceleration of  $\Omega^2 R$ . The factor "F" in this equation, allows for the fact that the rate of condensation on the stratified layer of

liquid is negligible. The value of "F" depends on the angle  $\phi$  and is tabulated in [Ref. 58]. Its value ranges from zero, when the tube is full (no surface remains for condensation to occur), to 0.725, when the tube empty. The angle  $\phi$  is shown in Figure 3.5.

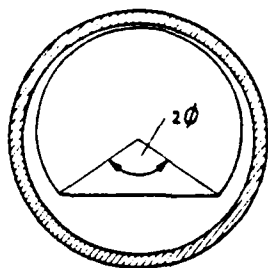


Figure 3.5 Laminar Condensation within a Horizontal Tube (from Collier).

#### 1. Computation of Heat-Transfer Limits

The calculation of these limits is an important step in the design process.

The calculations required to analyze the configuration of the current model are not all well known. The following appear to be the most applicable to the model being evaluated:

----The sonic limit calculation is from basic principles as shown by equation (3.3) by allowing the vapor velocity to increase to the Mach value of unity.

----The boiling limit is given by the Zuber-Kutateladze prediction as discussed in [Ref. 48] and is given by equation (3.5)

----The condensing limit is given by an equation from [Ref. 58] by Collier in equation (3.6).

The literature reveals no correlation yet for the entrainment limit in the heated, horizontal tube rotating about a parallel axis with counter-current flow. Since the majority of analyses previously conducted for this type of flow have shown that the entrainment limit is typically below the sonic and above the condensing limit, the correlations previously mentioned have been plotted against the amount of fluid that is charged in the tube (percentage fill) for the three reasonably known values (sonic, boiling, and condensing limits) in Figure 3.7. Also shown is the entrainment limit computed from the Jaster and Kosky [Ref. 56] correlation developed for co-current flow.

As was previously noted, the condensing limit is the factor that is the most limiting in the design of the thermosyphon. The values of  $Q_{\max}$  are increased to a maximum based on the length of the condenser, the percentage fill and the  $\Delta T$  available between the constant temperature (assumed) wall and the saturation temperature of the vapor condensing on it. As already mentioned, the resistance to heat-transfer afforded by the condenser outer walls to the ambient may be quite significant. The ability to design an adequate fin arrangement and supply cooling air in sufficient quantities, while minimizing the windage losses, itself is a substantial problem. From the data obtained in this rough model, there are some self-evident points to be considered:

----The length of the condenser, from a heat-transfer point of view, determines the heat-removal potential,

----The amount of liquid fill can be optimized,

----The temperature at which the walls of the condenser are maintained and the temperature at which the thermosyphon is operated are critical as this temperature difference is the driving force in the heat transfer.

For the model being evaluated, and neglecting (as the limiting value) the entrainment limit, the closed, two-phase thermosyphon, operated at a saturation temperature at, or above,  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$  and with the condenser section held at a wall temperature of  $50^{\circ}\text{C}$  with rotation at a 0.381 m radius and 3,600 RPM can transfer the required 50 W of power with the condensing limit being the limiting value. Figure 3.7 is based on a heat load of 50 W to be equally divided between condenser sections in both end-bell regions (i.e., approximately 25 W each per condenser). For the 3600 RPM model the percentage fill may increase to approximately 40%, and still maintain the required heat flux. The effect that the RPM has with regard to the temperature rise in the heated section, makes the choice of the closed-loop thermosyphon poor for the motor application, but quite suitable for the generator. Further background on the theory of two-phase flow is available in publications by Wallis [Ref. 59] and by Collier & Wallis in [Ref. 57]. The feasibility of the design has been shown by Corman and McLaughlin [Ref. 60] and by Groll, et al. [Ref. 61] through experiments with heat-pipe cooling of electric motors in the scheme primarily recommended, although the difficulty of the liquid transport at low rotation rates was noted. A diagram of the cooling scheme such as recommended and tested by Corman & McLaughlin and Groll, et al., is shown in Figure 3.6 (reproduced from [Ref. 60]).

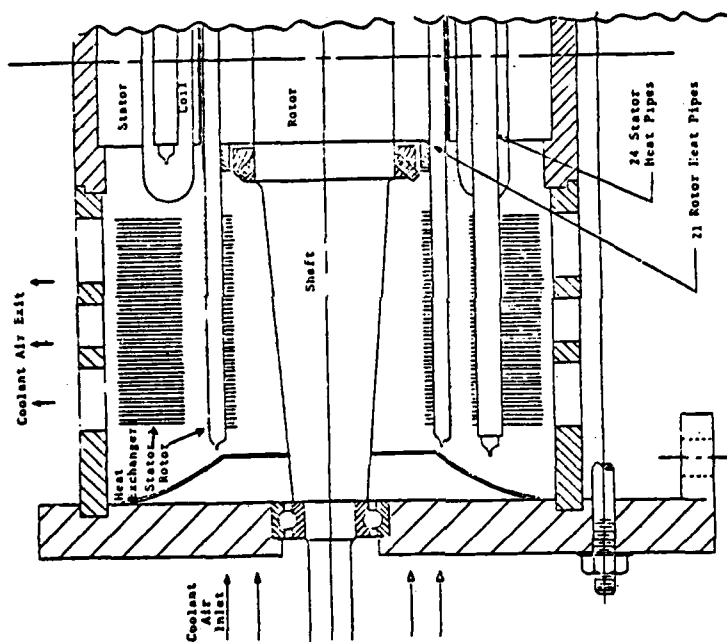


Figure 3.6 Typical Heat-Pipe Cooling Scheme.



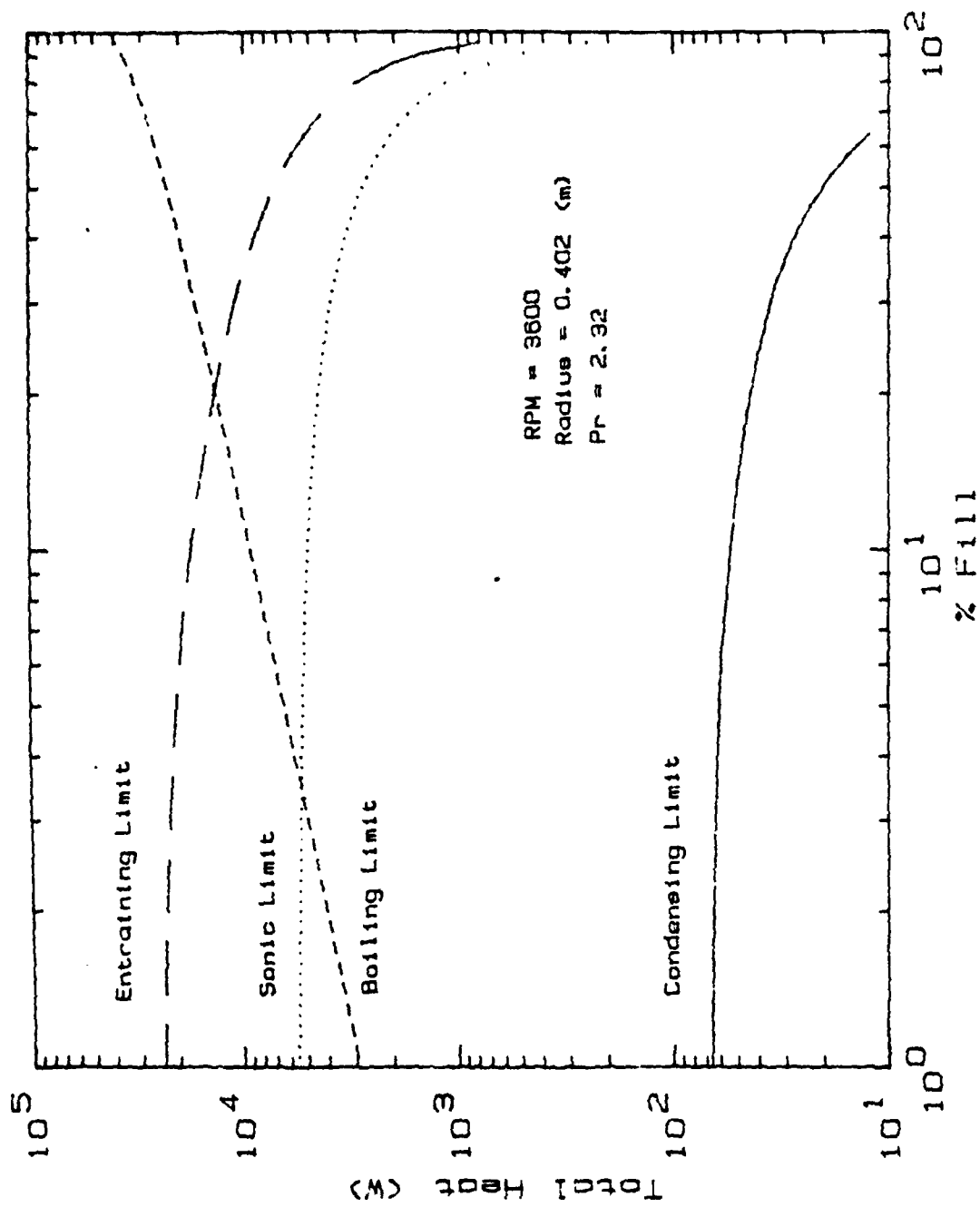


Figure 3.7 Heat-Transfer Limits in the Closed, Two-phase Thermosyphon.

#### IV. CONCLUDING SUMMARY

As discussed in the paper by Greene, et al. [Ref. 62], the need for electric propulsion of minimal cost, volume, and weight is well known and motivated by the inherent advantages of this type of propulsion. A significant constraint to be overcome in the development and manufacture of these systems is the rate of heat removal from these devices. In 1976, W. D. Morris [Ref. 63] mentioned that increasing the load per unit weight of these devices demanded that the inherent heat created by the internal losses be removed via improved cooling techniques. Morris also elaborated on the "complex arrangement" of the ducting and associated equipment required to accomplish this increased cooling. Further, he stated that "There is currently insufficient technical information available with which to make confident predictions of the effect of Coriolis and centripetal acceleration on flow resistance and heat transfer in the complex coolant circuits...". Since then, Morris and his co-workers have attempted to fill the literature gap in this area, and have uncovered a great many facts regarding this flow structure; they have also uncovered a great many questions for further research.

As shown as early as 1955 in an article by Sir Claude Gibb [Ref. 64], the principle factor in the failure of two very expensive generating sets was the inability of the devices to dissipate their own heat. In the late 60's, Peach [Ref. 65] wrote of the successes that the English Electric Company had with regard to liquid cooling of the large generator rotors being used in their 500 MW devices and predicted that the devices would reach 1,000 MW with this technology. This was followed in 1970 with a second

report by Peach [Ref. 66] where he outlined the growth of U.S. generator sizes and predicted that the liquid-cooling technology would be required in the near future to support the devices being planned in this country which exceeded 1,000 MW. The losses developed in the large-scale, high-power, superconductive devices, currently being developed for large-scale implementation, require extensive use of cooling at cryogenic temperatures in order to function in the super-conductive state in which they operate. A discussion of this application is presented by Schwartz and Poner [Ref. 67], in which a number of the schemes discussed herein are shown.

The previous chapters have discussed the ability of external, forced-convective cooling to remove the internally-developed heat loads in electrical, rotating machinery. The reduction in size, the increased efficiency, and the prolonged life cycle are all very important reasons to utilize advanced-cooling concepts. The use of turbulent flow is feasible at all RPM's; therefore, both motor and generator applications would benefit from forced-convective liquid cooling utilizing turbulent flow. Laminar-flow heat transfer is feasible only at higher RPM's, which tends to limit the application of this method in regard to motors. The actual transition from laminar to turbulent flow is not well known and further investigation is required to determine the transition point; the transition may occur at a flow and RPM acceptable for the motor application. However, the utilization of external, forced-convective cooling has some major difficulties associated with it:

- 1) The source of the external cooling fluid must be easily accessible, dependable (in a casualty-control sense), safe, volumetrically small, light, and should be reasonably inexpensive.

2) The fluid itself should be of high specific heat, light, inexpensive, and more importantly, non-toxic and non-flammable.

3) The method of transporting the fluid from the source, through an external heat exchanger, through the device, and back, should be extremely reliable and quite resistant to external damage. This is an area of serious consideration where the reliability of conventional, rotating seals is questionable in the least.

The alternative to the use of external, forced-convective cooling is the utilization of a closed device: (a) the closed, two-phase thermosyphon, (b) the closed, rotating-loop thermosyphon, (c) the closed rotating-loop, two-phase thermosyphon, or (d) the heat pipe. These alternatives remove the necessity of using radial rotating seals in the design of the cooling system.

The closed, two-phase thermosyphon, as shown in Figure 3.6, must have a sufficient forced-air circulation through the end-bell regions to remove the heat. This will require optimizing the length of the condenser sections, the geometry of the fins, the number of fins and the direction of air flow within the device to maximize the heat transfer while minimizing the windage losses. The closed two-phase thermosyphon is feasible at the higher RPM's that the generator operates at; additionally, this method could also be feasible in the motor application if a heat pipe (i.e., a thermosyphon whose walls are lined with a capillary wicking material) is used in lieu of the two-phase thermosyphon for the lower RPM's.

The closed, rotating-loop thermosyphon requires an additional heat exchange through the shaft of the device, possibly supplemented with forced-air convection through the hollow rotor region and by the exposed radial sections of

the loop. This shaft heat exchanger may be in the form of a rotating heat-pipe, as shown in Figures 4.1 and 4.2, where the external exchange is to either ambient forced-air, or to an external, closed water spray. The shaft heat exchanger may also be cooled by forced convection using liquid cooling, with axial, packing-type seals, external to the device as shown in Figure 4.3. This closed-loop thermosyphon could use either single-phase or two-phase operation.

The closed two-phase thermosyphon could also be extended along the shaft through a bearing plate arrangement and cooling air could be supplied external to the casing, simplifying the internal configuration, as shown in Figure 4.4.

The ability of these devices to cool effectively has been proven and their usage in this application is theoretically feasible. The exact correlations for the calculation of the performance values for these devices, especially in a rotating reference, will require further research.

The analysis herein has shown the ability of the cooling schemes discussed to remove the requisite heat load in order to extend the life of the insulation, increase the efficiency, decrease the weight and size of motors and generators. This study graphically presents the applicable correlations for the determination of the heat transfer within a rotating, electric device. It also discusses the limitations of these correlations. It has been shown that closed, two-phase systems of an inherently higher reliability are feasible, and deserve further evaluation.

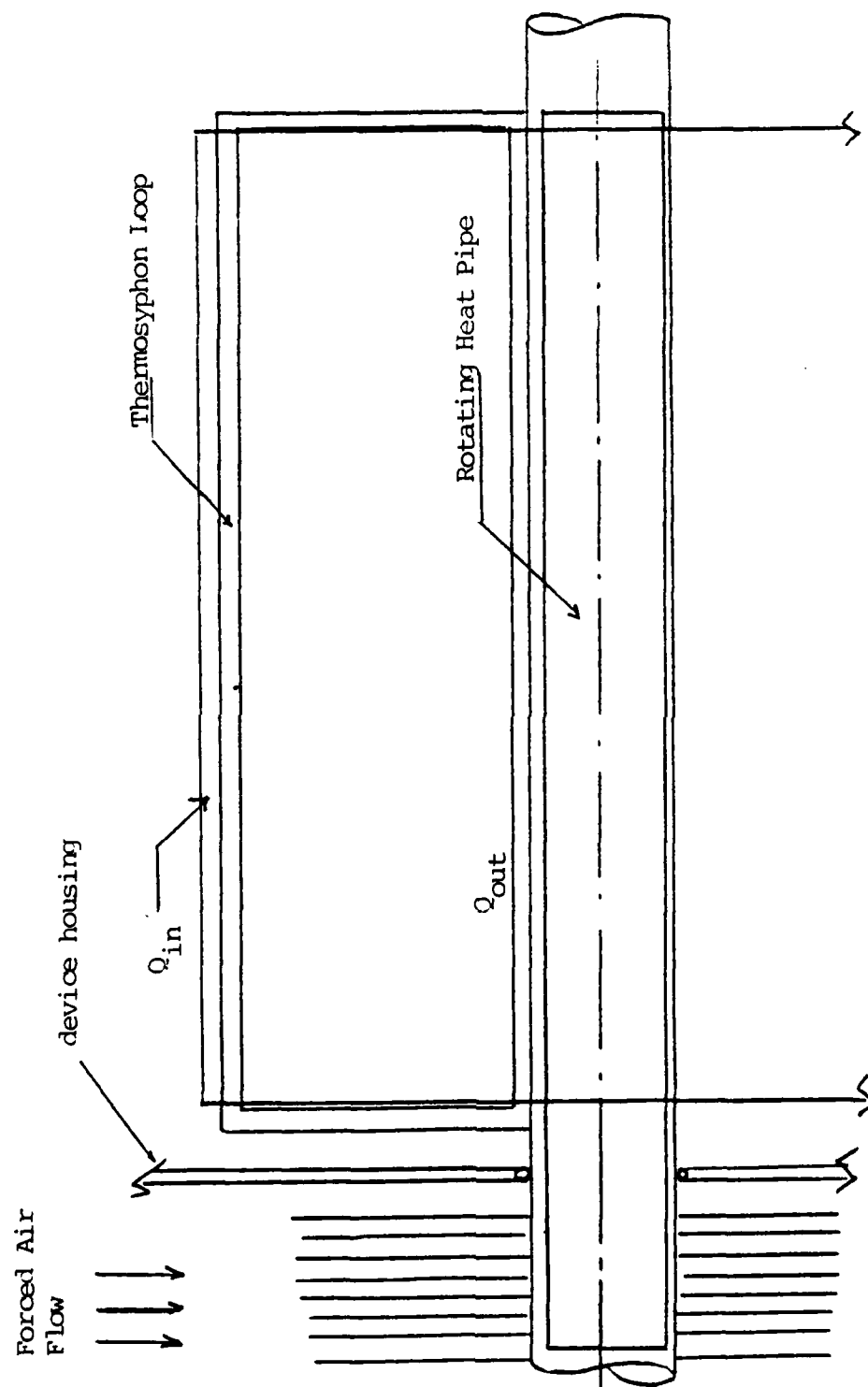


Figure 4.1 Closed-loop Thermosyphon to Shaft Rotating Heat Pipe (Air Exchanger).

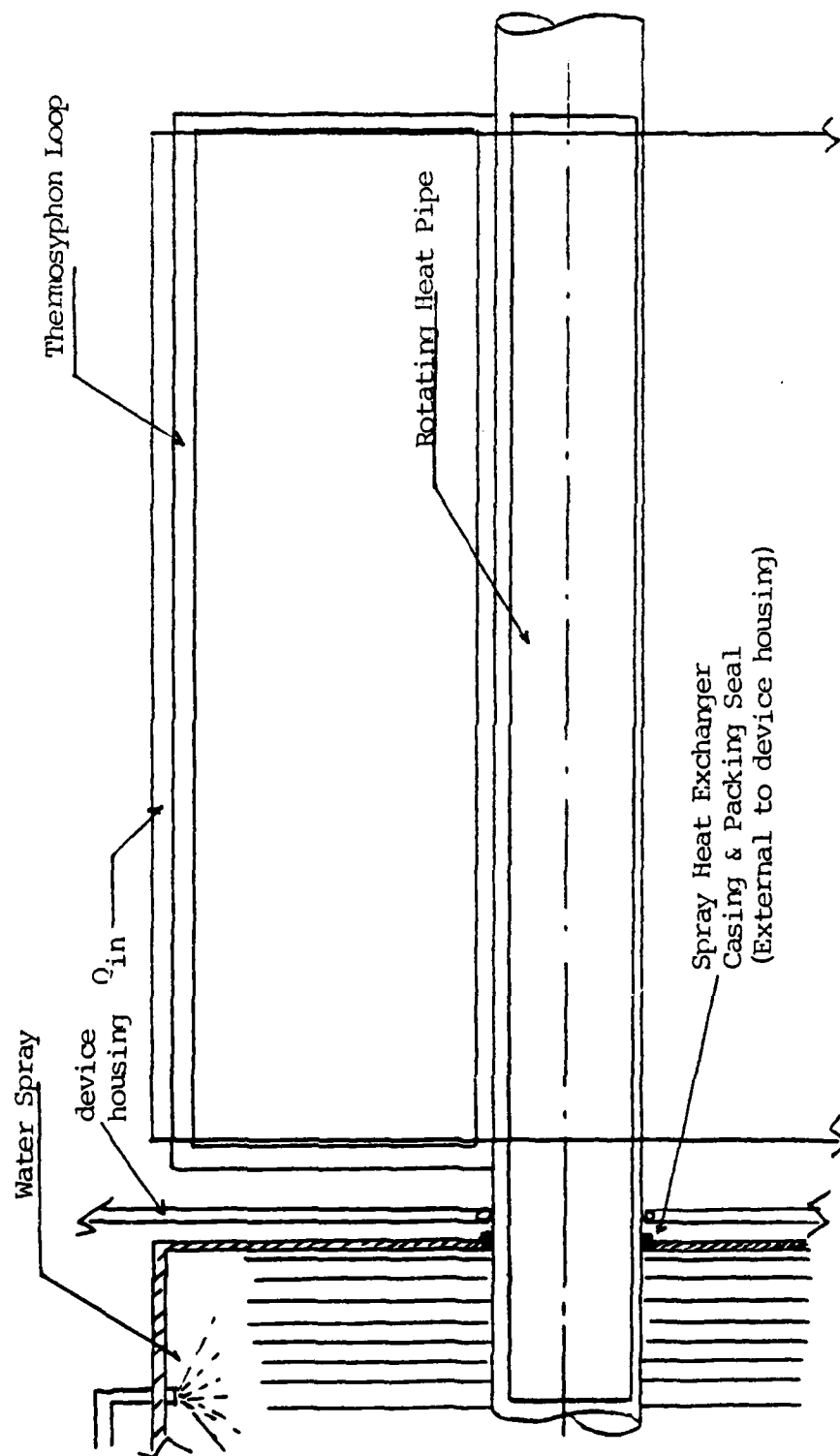


Figure 4.2 Closed-Loop Thermosyphon with Shaft Rotating Heat Pipe (Water Spray Exchanger).

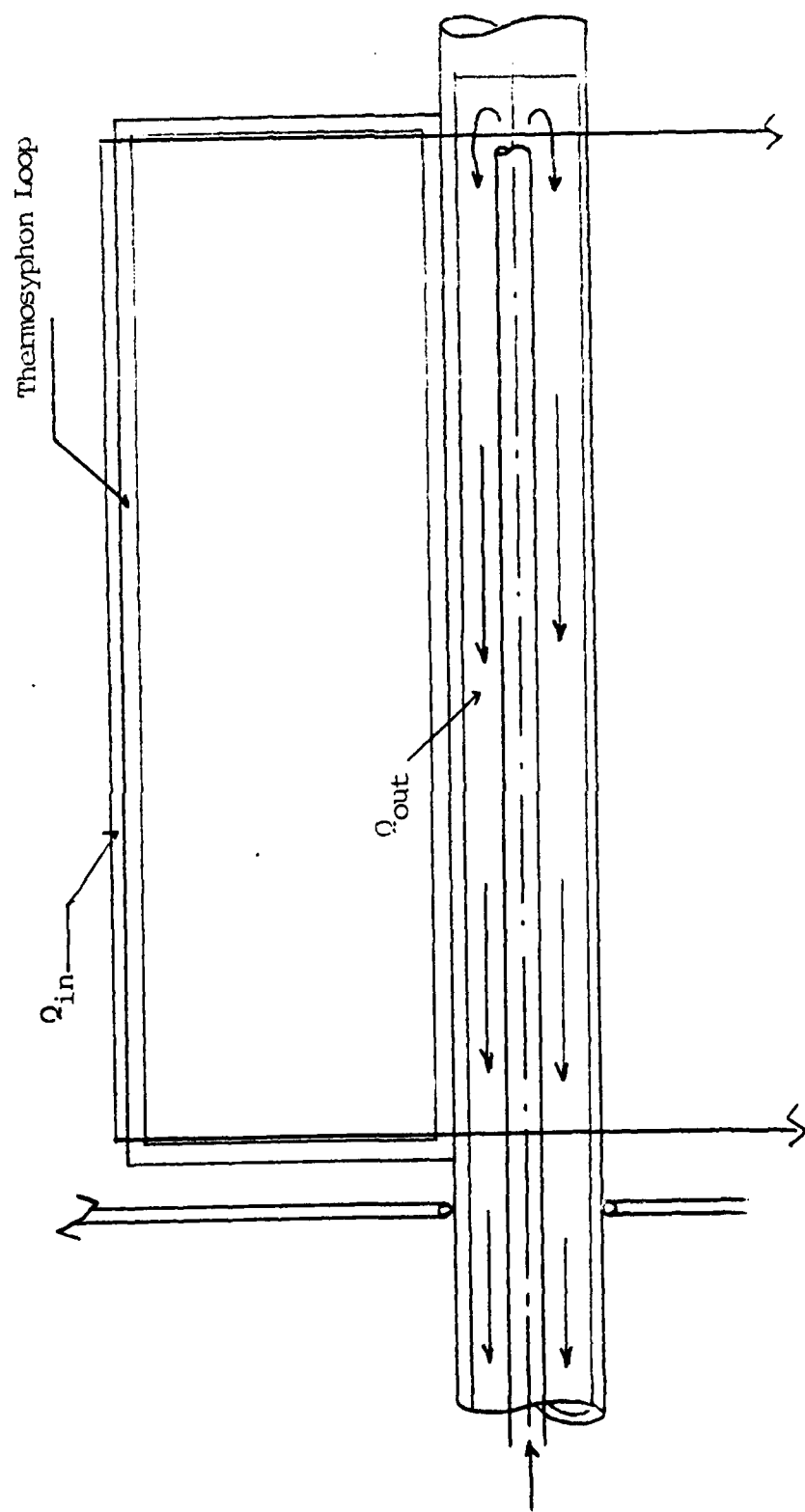


Figure 4.3 Closed-loop Thermosyphon with Shaft Forced-Convection Liquid



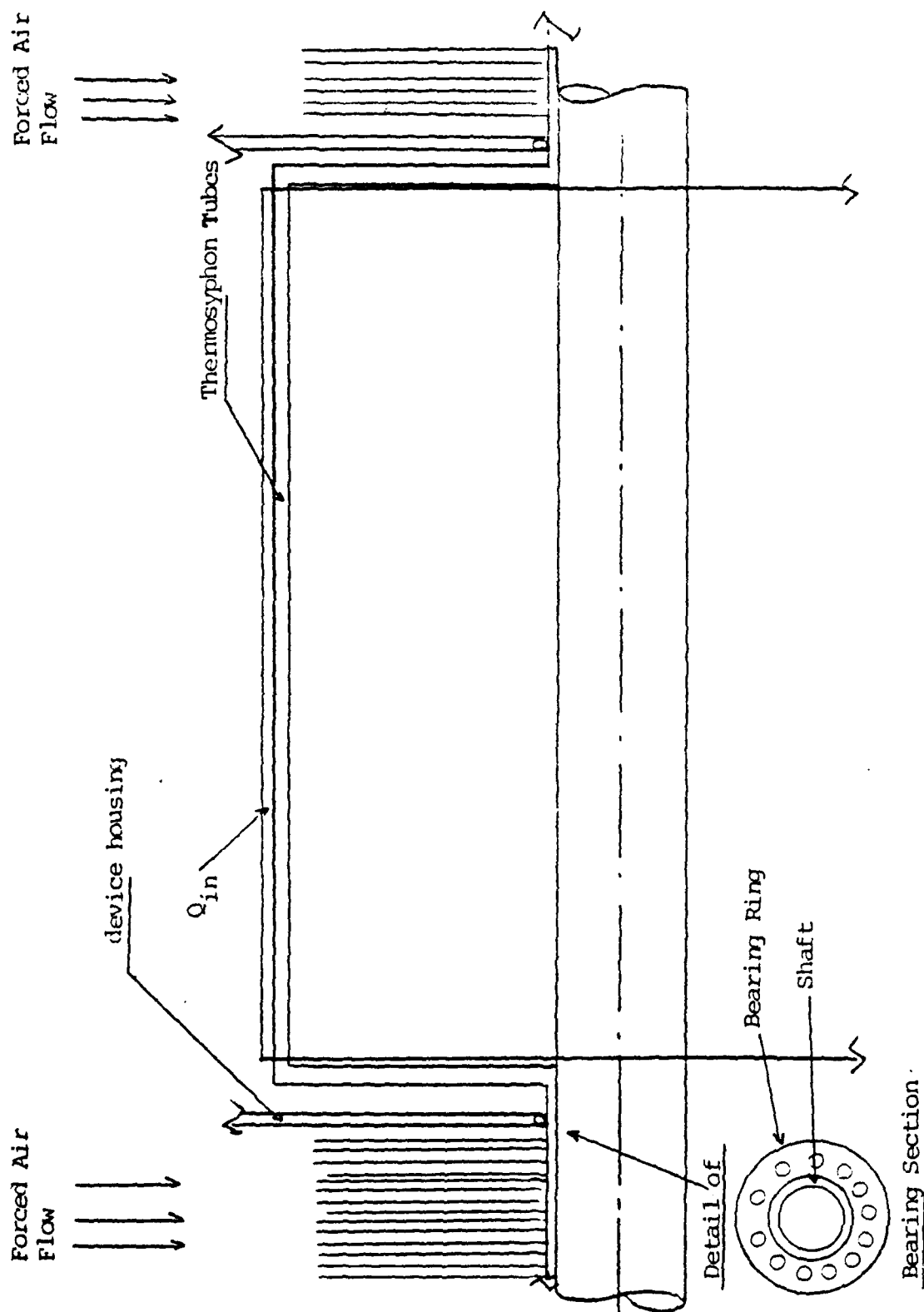


Figure 4.4 Closed Single- or Two-Phase Thermosyphon with Radial Sections to Shaft Extending to Ambient.

## V. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

### A. CONCLUSIONS

Based upon the information reviewed and analyzed in this thesis, the following conclusions are made:

1) Forced-convective liquid cooling is a practical means for improving the efficiency, reducing the size and weight, and extending the life of high-power motors and generators. The main disadvantage of forced-convective liquid cooling is the requirement of radial rotating seals.

2) Closed-loop liquid thermosyphons are feasible at high RPM. They offer improved reliability over forced-convective liquid cooling which utilizes rotating seals. However, this method requires the use the shaft as a secondary heat exchanger.

3) The closed, two-phase thermosyphon is feasible at the higher RPMs of the generators. This method requires forced-air convection through the end-bell regions or the extension of the devices along the shaft for external forced-air convection, both of which will add to the windage losses.

4) For low RPM applications, such as motors, the use of a heat pipe will be required to overcome the inability of the low acceleration field to transport the cooling fluid. Both the closed, two-phase thermosyphon and the heat-pipe require forced convection at the condenser ends to remove the heat either internal, or external to the device. This may add to the windage losses.

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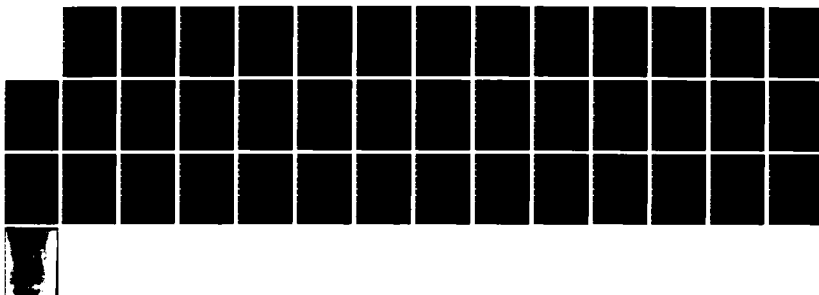
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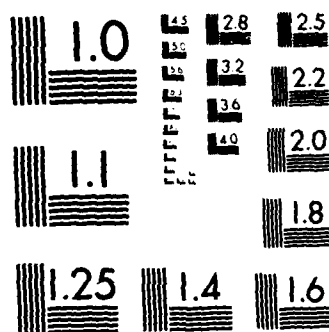
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5) Correlations and theoretical analyses are not available in the literature for:

a) the counter-current entrainment limit for two-phase thermosyphons under rotation and

b) the transition from laminar to turbulent flow for rotating systems.

#### E. RECOMMENDATIONS

The following recommendations to continue this work are made:

1) Testing of the forced-convective liquid cooling scheme should be accomplished using the DTNSRDC test rig to confirm the analysis and the validity of the available correlations, or to obtain proper correlations for the specific geometry and utilization being projected.

2) An experimental program should be devised and conducted to determine the entrainment limitation in a horizontal, heated, channel rotated about a parallel axis with counter-current flow of liquid and vapor.

3) An experimental program should be developed to determine the optimum condenser length and proper fin arrangement for the use of both heat pipe and closed two-phase thermosyphon systems for rotor cooling. Consideration of the structural integrity must be included for the condenser end-lengths.

4) An experimental program should be developed for correlating the laminar-to-turbulent transition during forced-convective liquid cooling in a heated, horizontal, rotating pipe.

5) An experimental program should be developed to modify the inside geometry of the closed-loop thermosyphon

(and axial, closed, two-phase thermosyphon) to optimize the heat-transfer and the friction losses within the device.

6) A detailed analysis should be made of the shaft cooling potential for the rotating-loop thermosyphon with regard to the heat-transfer enhancement of the shaft to the fluid and the mechanical design of the shaft.

7) An experimental program should be developed to analyze the closed, two-phase thermosyphon with radial condenser sections and the closed-loop two-phase thermosyphon. These two devices may experience start-up balance problems.

8) Various configurations should be analyzed for their potential for heat transfer to include a combination of the systems described herein, as depicted in Figures 4.1 through 4.4.

9) The concept of modifying the geometry of the rotor windings within these devices in order to minimize heat conduction path lengths to the casing, shaft, etc., and thereby the internal temperature gradient, should also be investigated.

APPENDIX A  
GOVERNING EQUATIONS FOR LAMINAR CONVECTION IN UNIFORMLY  
HEATED HORIZONTAL PIPES AT LOW RAYLEIGH NUMBERS

The following development, by Morton [Ref. 11], is presented herein for completeness. The steady laminar motion of a fluid in a horizontal circular pipe of radius  $a$ , the walls of which are heated uniformly so that a constant temperature gradient  $\tau$  is maintained in the direction of the axis. The flow will be referred to in cylindrical coordinates  $(r, \phi, z)$  with  $\phi$  measured from the upward vertical and the  $z$ -axis along the axis of the pipe; the velocity components are denoted by  $u, v$ , and  $w$ . The effects of dissipation and of the pressure term in the energy equation will be neglected and that variations in the density due to the temperature differences are so small that they only effect the buoyancy term. Thermal conductivity and kinematic viscosity are assumed to be constant (which will introduce quantitative errors into the solution, but should not change its general character).

The equation of continuity is then:

$$\partial ru / \partial r + \partial v / \partial \phi + \partial rw / \partial z = 0, \quad (A.1)$$

and the energy equation is:

$$u(\partial T / \partial r) + v/r(\partial T / \partial \phi) + w(\partial T / \partial z) = k \nabla^2 T, \quad (A.2)$$

where  $\nabla^2 = \partial^2 / \partial r^2 + 1/r(\partial / \partial r) + 1/r^2(\partial^2 / \partial \phi^2) + \partial^2 / \partial z^2$  and  $T$  is the local fluid temperature. The momentum equations can be written in the form of equations (A.3) through (A.5).

$$u(\partial u/\partial r) + v/r(\partial u/\partial \phi) + w(\partial u/\partial z) - v^2/r = -1/\rho(\partial p/\partial r)$$

$$v(\nabla^2 u - u/r^2 - 2/r^2(\partial v/\partial \phi) - g(T_w - T) \cos \phi), \quad (A.3)$$

$$u(\partial v/\partial r) + v/r(\partial v/\partial \phi) + w(\partial v/\partial z) = uv/r = -1/\rho r(\partial p/\partial \phi)$$

$$v(\nabla^2 v + 2/r^2(\partial u/\partial \phi) - v/r^2) + g(T_w - T) \sin \phi, \quad (A.4)$$

$$u(\partial w/\partial r) + v/r(\partial w/\partial \phi) + w(\partial w/\partial z) = -1/\rho(\partial p/\partial z) + v \nabla^2 w. \quad (A.5)$$

In equations (A.3) and (A.4), the buoyancy force has been calculated relative to the fluid at the same level adjacent to the pipe wall and the remaining distribution of force has been absorbed into the pressure,  $p$ .

For steady convection sufficiently far from the pipe opening to avoid inlet-length effects, the temperature throughout the pipe increases uniformly with the distance along the pipe axis. Hence, the distribution of buoyancy force in sections of the pipe is independent of  $z$ ; as the secondary flow is caused by the buoyancy forces, the flow field must also be independent of  $z$ . It follows that there should be a similarity solution with  $u, v, w$ , and  $T_w - T$  as functions of  $r$  and  $\phi$  only, and with  $p = \gamma z + P(r, \phi)$  (where  $P$  contains the terms absorbed into  $p$ ).

The continuity equation reduces to the form:

$$\partial(ru)/\partial r + \partial v/\partial \phi = 0;$$

hence, a dimensionless Stokes stream function  $\psi$  can be introduced in such a way that:

$$ru/v = \partial \psi / \partial \phi, \quad v/v = -\partial \psi / \partial r.$$



The main equations (A.1) through (A.5) may be reduced to non-dimensional form by the transformations  $r = aR$ ,  $w = (v/a)W$ , and  $T_w - T = \tau a Pr$ , where  $Pr$  is the Prandtl number  $(\nu/\alpha)$ . If the pressure is eliminated between equations (A.3) and (A.4), the resulting momentum equations are:

$$\nabla_1^2 \psi + 1/R \{ (\partial \psi / \partial R) (\partial / \partial \psi) - \partial \psi / \partial \phi (\partial / \partial R) \} \nabla_1^2 \psi =$$

$$Ra \{ (\partial \theta / \partial R) \sin \phi + 1/R (\partial \theta / \partial \phi) \cos \phi \}, \quad (A.6)$$

$$\nabla_1^2 W + 1/R \{ (\partial \psi / \partial R) (\partial / \partial \phi) -$$

$$(\partial \psi / \partial \phi) (\partial / \partial R) \} W + 4Re = 0, \quad (A.7)$$

and where,

$$\nabla_1^2 = \partial^2 / \partial R^2 + 1/R (\partial / \partial R) + 1/R^2 (\partial^2 / \partial \phi^2).$$

The Rayleigh number,  $Ra$ , is given by  $g \beta \tau a^4 / (\alpha \nu)$  and the Reynolds number is the normal Reynolds number,  $Re$ , for Poiseuille pipe flow based on the pipe diameter and the mean velocity across a pipe section is  $(a/\nu) (\gamma a^2 / 4\mu)$ .

The solution of the energy equation depends on the temperature on the boundary condition at the wall of the pipe. Pipes will usually have reasonably-thick walls of material with thermal conductivity much higher than that of the fluid, so there will be little variation in wall temperature around the pipe circumference. This will be specially so for slow rates of heating when asymmetries of the flow will have small amplitude. Hence, write  $T = T_0 + z$ , where  $T_0$  is the wall temperature in the section containing the origin. Although there is uniform heat transfer per unit length of pipe, the local heat transfer will be slightly greater near the bottom of the pipe than near the top. With this assumption, equation (A.2) reduces to the non-dimensional form of equation (A.8).

$$\nabla_1^2 \theta + (\sigma/R) \{ (\partial \psi / \partial R) (\partial \theta / \partial \phi) - (\partial \psi / \partial \phi) (\partial \theta / \partial R) \} + W = 0 \quad (A.8)$$

The boundary conditions are:

$u, v, w$ , and  $\theta$  are zero on  $r=a$ :

$u, v, w$ , and  $\theta$  are finite on  $r=0$ .

(A.9)

Although solution of equations (A.6) through (A.8), satisfying conditions of (A.9), is considerably difficult, successive approximations to the solution can be obtained by expanding  $\psi$ ,  $W$ , and  $\theta$  as power series in the Rayleigh number, provided that this is numerically small. Supposing that:

$$\begin{aligned} \psi &= Ra \psi_1 + Ra^2 \psi_2 + \dots, \\ W &= W_0 + Ra W_1 + Ra^2 W_2 + \dots, \\ \theta &= \theta_0 + Ra \theta_1 + Ra^2 \theta_2 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

(A.10)

The leading term  $\psi_0$  of  $\psi$  must vanish because there is no circulation when  $A$  is zero, but  $\theta_0$  is not zero since the difference in temperature between a fluid element and the neighboring wall is proportional to  $r\theta$ . When relations (A.10) are substituted in equations (A.6), (A.7), and (A.8), three sets of equations for the functions  $\psi_i$ ,  $W_i$ , and  $\theta_i$  are obtained by equating coefficients of powers of  $Ra$ .

From equation (A.7), the basic equation is:

$$\nabla_1^2 W_0 + 4Re = 0, \quad (A.11)$$

which has a solution:

$$W_0 = Re(1-r^2) \quad (A.12)$$

which satisfies the conditions  $W_0=0$  at  $R=1$ ,  $W_0$  finite at  $R=0$ . This is ordinary Poiseuille flow under a pressure gradient  $-4\rho v^2 Re/a^3$  in an unheated pipe.

The first of the equations derived from equation (A.8) for the temperature distribution is:

$$\nabla_1^2 \theta_0 + W = 0, \quad (A.13)$$

subject to  $\theta_0 = 0$  at  $R=1$ ,  $\theta_0$  finite at  $R=0$ , and the solution is axially symmetrical as no account has been taken of gravity at this stage of the approximation. This is satisfied by:

$$\theta_0 = (1/16) Re(1-R^2)(3-R^2), \quad (A.14)$$

which is the customary solution for forced convection.

The first-order approximation for  $\psi$  satisfies the equation:

$$\nabla_1^4 \psi_1 = (\partial \theta_0 / \partial R) \sin \phi \quad (A.15)$$

obtained as the coefficient of  $Ra$  from equation A.6, and the boundary conditions  $\partial \psi_1 / \partial R, \partial \psi_1 / \partial \phi = 0$  on  $R=1$ , and  $R^{-1}(\partial \psi_1 / \partial \phi), \partial \psi_1 / \partial R$  remain finite at  $R=0$ . If  $\psi_1$  is assumed to have the form  $\psi_1(R) \sin \phi$ , the dependence of equation A.15 on  $\phi$  is eliminated, and  $\psi_1(R)$  is easily found:

$$\psi_1 = -(1/4608) ReR(1-R^2)^2(10-R^2) \sin \phi. \quad (A.16)$$

Similarly, the first-order approximation to  $W_1$  satisfies the equation:

$$\nabla_1^2 W_1 = (1/R) (\partial \psi_1 / \partial \phi) (\partial W_0 / \partial R), \quad (A.17)$$

and the boundary conditions,  $W_1 = 0$  at  $R=1$  and  $W_1$  finite at  $R=0$ . The dependence of equation A.17 on  $\phi$  is eliminated by taking  $W_1 = W_1(R) \cos \phi$ , whence

$$W_1 = -(1/184320) Re^2 R (1-R^2) (49-51R^2+19R^4-R^6) \cos\phi. \quad (A.18)$$

The first-order approximation to  $\theta$  satisfies the equation:

$$\nabla_1^2 \theta_1 = (\sigma/R) (\partial \psi_1 / \partial \phi) (\partial \theta_0 / \partial R) - W_1, \quad (A.19)$$

and the boundary conditions,  $\theta_1 = 0$  at  $R=1$  and  $\theta_1$  finite at  $R=0$ . Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_1 = & -(1/22118400) Re^2 R (1-R^2) \{ (381+1325\sigma) - (354+1675\sigma) R^2 + \\ & + (146+925\sigma) R^4 - (29+200\sigma) R^6 + (1-2\sigma) R^8 \} \cos\phi. \end{aligned} \quad (A.20)$$

This completes the approximate solution to the first order in  $Ra$  for convection in a horizontal pipe, which is heated so that there is a constant temperature gradient along the walls and uniform temperature around the girth. It may be noted from equations (A.10), (A.12), (A.14), (A.16), (A.18), and (A.20) that the full convection solution depends essentially on the product  $RaRe$ . This is clear if it is recalled that  $Ra$  is proportional to the increase in wall temperature along the pipe and  $Re$  is proportional to a characteristic velocity of the flow along the pipe. An increase in  $Ra$  means that the fluid will be carried through a larger temperature differences, and, hence, there will be increased buoyancy forces; but the same effect can be produced by an increase in  $Re$ , and hence in the velocity of the main flow.

The two most interesting consequences of such a solution are the modification of the heat transfer due to secondary flow, and the effect of heating on the tangential stress at the wall (or on the rate of flow for a given pressure gradient). However, as both  $W_1$  and  $\theta_1$  vary with  $\cos\phi$ ,

neither the flux nor the heat transfer across the whole section of the pipe will be changed by the first-order approximation although there will be local variations.

To find the changes in total flux and heat transfer, it is necessary to proceed to the second-order approximations, and the relevant equations for these are:

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_1^4 \psi_2 &= (1/R) \{ \partial (\nabla_1^2 \psi_1, \psi_1) / \partial (R, \phi) \} \\ &\quad + (\partial \theta_1 / \partial R) \sin \phi + (1/R) (\partial \theta_1 / \partial \phi) \cos \phi, \\ \nabla_1^2 W_2 &= (1/R) \{ \partial (W_1, \psi_1) / \partial (R, \phi) \} + (1/R) \{ \partial (W_0, \psi_2) / \partial (R, \phi) \}, \\ \nabla_1^2 \theta_2 &= (\sigma/R) \{ \partial (\theta_1, \psi_1) / \partial (R, \phi) \} + (\sigma/R) \{ \partial (\theta_0, \psi_2) / \partial (R, \phi) \} - W_2.\end{aligned}\tag{A.21}$$

The only difficulty in solving these equations is numerical tedium and the remaining second-order solutions are presented in [Ref. 11].

APPENDIX B  
SINGLE-PHASE ANALYSIS (COMPUTER PROGRAM AND RESULTS)

The following program was written to give the results of the various correlations for the heat transfer for the forced, single-phase convection in the rotating reference as discussed in Chapter II. The program is so written that modification to include other correlations is quite easy. It was written in HP-Basic for the HP-9826 computer. Sub-programs for the graphics are not shown. Sample runs are included immediately following the listing.

- Pages 105-109 Program Listing
- Pages 110-111 Thermophysical Properties (Common to Appendices B through D).
- Page 112 Sample Calculation

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1000 FILE NAME: 415
1010 CREATED: January 11, 1984
1020 LAST REVISED: February 15, 1984
1030
1040 COM /Cmin/ Xmin.Ymin.Sfx.Sfy
1050 PRINTER IS :
1060 BEEP
1070 PRINT USING "2X, ""Default values: ""
1080 D=4.763E-3 ! Tube diameter (m)
1090 L=.8230 ! Tube length (m)
1100 R=.4021 ! Radius of rotor (m)
1110 PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube diameter = ""Z.4DE, "" (m)""":D
1120 PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube length = ""DD.D, "" (m)""":L
1130 PRINT USING "4X, ""Radius of rotor = ""Z.3D, "" (m)""":R
1140 BEEP
1150 INPUT "OK TO ACCEPT DEFAULT VALUES (1=Y,0=N)?".Id
1160 BEEP
1170 INPUT "LIKE A HARD COPY (1=Y,0=N)?".Ihc
1180 IF Ihc=1 THEN
1190 PRINTER IS 701
1200 ELSE
1210 PRINTER IS :
1220 END IF
1230 IF Id=1 THEN 1300
1240 BEEP
1250 INPUT "ENTER TUBE DIAMETER (m)".D
1260 BEEP
1270 INPUT "ENTER TUBE LENGTH (m)".L
1280 BEEP
1290 INPUT "ENTER RADIUS OF ROTOR (m)".R
1300 PRINT USING "10X, ""--- Geometric Variables --- ""
1310 PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube diameter (D) = ""Z.3DE, "" (m)""":D
1320 PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube length (L) = ""DD.DD, "" (m)""":L
1330 PRINT USING "4X, ""L/D = ""SD.D":L/D
1340 PRINT USING "4X, ""Rotor radius (R) = ""Z.3D, "" (m)""":R
1350 PRINT
1360 PRINT USING "10X, ""Computed values are: ""
1370 PRINTER IS 1
1380 BEEP
1390 PRINT USING "2X, ""SELECT OPTION: ""
1400 PRINT USING "4X, ""1 Single point ""
1410 PRINT USING "4X, ""2 Nu versus RPM ""
1420 PRINT USING "4X, ""3 Nu versus Re ""
1430 PRINT USING "4X, ""4 Nu versus Prod ""
1440 INPUT Op
1450 IF Op>3 THEN
1460 PRINT USING "4X, ""SELECT OPTION: ""
1470 PRINT USING "4X, ""2 VARY RPM ""
1480 PRINT USING "4X, ""3 VARY Re ""
1490 INPUT OpX
1500 IF OpX=2 THEN Op=2
1510 IF OpX=3 THEN Op=3
1520 END IF
1530 IF Op>1 THEN
1540 BEEP
1550 J:=0
1560 PRINTER IS 1
1570 PRINT USING "4X, ""SELECT OPTION: ""
1580 PRINT USING "4X, ""1=Dittus-Boelter, 2=Nakayama, 3=Nakayama & Fuziota ""

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1590 PRINT USING "4X," "A=woods & Morris, B=Stephenson, C=woods&Stephenson, D=
mar, E=Kavayana-1"
1600 INPUT Ian
1610 DEEP
1620 INPUT "LIKE TO PLOT (1=1,0=N)"/,Okplot
1630 IF Okplot=1 THEN
1640 CALL Plot(Jj,Jc,Jd,X,Y,Type,Cx)
1650 BEEP
1660 INPUT "SOLID=1,DASH-DASH=2,DOT-DOT=3",Type
1670 END IF
1680 END IF
1690 Nstep=100
1700 IF Op=2 THEN
1710 BEEP
1720 INPUT "ENTER RPM RANGE (MIN.MAX)",Rpm1,Rpmh
1730 Rpm=Rpm1
1740 ELSE
1750 BEEP
1760 INPUT "ENTER RPM OF ROTOR",Rpm
1770 END IF
1780 BEEP
1790 INPUT "ENTER OPTION (1=0,2=Mf,3=Dt)",Io
1800 IF Ihc=1 THEN PRINTER IS 701
1810 IF Ihc=0 THEN PRINTER IS 1
1820 PRINT
1830 PRINT USING "10X," "*** Operating Variables ***"
1840 PRINT
1850 PRINT USING "10X," "Input variables are:"
1860 IF Io=1 THEN
1870 BEEP
1880 INPUT "ENTER COOLANT MASS FLOW RATE (kg/s)",Mf
1890 BEEP
1900 PRINT USING "14X," "Coolant mass flow rate = ",Z.3DE," (kg/s)";Mf
1910 INPUT "ENTER INLET AND OUTLET TEMPS (C)",T1,To
1920 PRINT USING "14X," "Coolant inlet temp = ",DD.DD," (C)";T1
1930 PRINT USING "14X," "Coolant outlet temp = ",DD.DD," (C)";To
1940 END IF
1950 IF Io=2 THEN
1960 BEEP
1970 INPUT "ENTER HEAT LOAD (W)",Q
1980 PRINT USING "14X," "Heat load = ",.4D.DD," (W)";Q
1990 BEEP
2000 INPUT "ENTER INLET AND OUTLET TEMPS (C)",T1,To
2010 PRINT USING "14X," "Coolant inlet temp = ",DD.DD," (C)";T1
2020 PRINT USING "14X," "Coolant outlet temp = ",DD.DD," (C)";To
2030 END IF
2040 IF Io=3 THEN
2050 IF Jj>0 THEN 2200
2060 BEEP
2070 INPUT "ENTER HEAT LOAD (W)",Q
2080 PRINT USING "14X," "Heat load = ",.4D.DD," (W)";Q
2090 BEEP
2100 IF Op<3 THEN
2110 INPUT "ENTER COOLANT MASS FLOW RATE (kg/s)",Mf
2120 PRINT USING "14X," "Coolant mass flow rate = ",Z.4DE," (kg/s)";Mf
2130 ELSE
2140 INPUT "ENTER MASS FLOW RATES (MIN.MAX)",Mf1,Mfh
2150 Mf=Mf1
2160 END IF
2170 BEEP
2180 INPUT "ENTER COOLANT INLET TEMP (C)",T1

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2190 PRINT USING "14X, ""Coolant inlet temp      = ""'.DD.DD.'"" (C)""":T1
2200 IF I=1 THEN
2210 END IF
2220 Ta=(To+T1)/2
2230 Cp=FNCPw(Ta)
2240 Mu=FNMuw(Ta)
2250 K=FNKw(Ta)
2260 Pr=FNPrw(Ta)
2270 Rho=FNRhaw(Ta)
2280 Nuv=Mu/Rho
2290 IF Io=1 THEN
2300 Q=Mf*Cp*(To-T1)
2310 PRINT USING "14X, ""Heat load (Q)          = ""'.4D.D.'"" (W)""":Q
2320 END IF
2330 IF Io=2 THEN
2340 Mf=Q/(Cp*(To-T1))
2350 PRINT USING "14X, ""Coolant mass flow rate = ""'.Z.4DE.'"" (kg/s)""":Mf
2360 END IF
2370 IF Io=3 THEN
2380 Toc=T1+Q/(Mf*Cp)
2390 IF ABS(To-Toc)>.01 THEN
2400 To=(To+Toc)*.5
2410 GOTO 2220
2420 END IF
2430 IF J1=0 THEN PRINT USING "14X, ""Coolant outlet temp      = ""'.3D.DD.'"" (C)""
2440 Ta=To
2450 IF J1=0 THEN
2460 PRINT
2470 PRINT USING "10X, ""Fluid properties evaluated at ""'.DD.DD.'"" (C) are: """:
Ta
2480 PRINT USING "14X, ""Specific heat (Cp)      = ""'.4D.D.'"" (J/kg.K)""":Cp
2490 PRINT USING "14X, ""Viscosity (Mu)         = ""'.Z.4DE.'"" (N.s/m^2)""":Mu
2500 PRINT USING "14X, ""Thermal cond (k)        = ""'.Z.4D.'"" (W/m.K)""":K
2510 PRINT USING "14X, ""Prandtl number (Pr)     = ""'.Z.3D.'"":Pr
2520 PRINT USING "14X, ""Density (Rho)          = ""'.4D.D.'"" (kg/m^3)""":Rho
2530 PRINT USING "14X, ""Kinematic vis (Nuv)    = ""'.Z.4DE.'"" (m^2/s)""":Nuv
2540 Beta=FNBeta(Ta)
2550 PRINT USING "14X, ""Coef ther exp (Beta)    = ""'.Z.4DE.'"" (1/K)""":Beta
2560 PRINT
2570 PRINT USING "10X, ""*** Calculations ***""
2580 PRINT
2590 PRINT USING "10X, ""Preliminary calculations: ""
2600 END IF
2610 Re=4*Mf/(PI*D*Mu)
2620!
2630! Friction Factors for stationary reference
2640 IF Re<2*1.E+4 THEN 2670
2650 F=.184/Re^.2 !I&D Eqn 8.21
2660 GOTO 2630
2670 F=.316/Re^.25 !I&D Eqn 8.20
2680!
2690 Qpp=Q/(PI*D*L)
2700 Qp=Qpp*PI*D
2710 Vm=4*Mf/(Rho*PI*D^2)
2720 Dps=F*Rho*Vm^2*L/(2*D)
2730 Omega=Rpm*2*PI/60
2740 Ro=Vm/(Omega*D)
2750 Jay=Omega*D^2/Nuv !From STEPH-Rotational Re
2760 Kw=FNKw(Ta)
2770 Dtt=(To-T1)/L

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2780 Gr=R*(Omega/2)*Beta*((D/2)^4)*Dtt/Nuv/2
2790 Ra=Gr*Pr
2800 Gamma=(Re^(22/13))*((Gr*(Pr^.6))^(-12/13))
2810 Ty=Re/(Gamma^2.5)
2820!
2830! Laminar Value
2840 Nulam=48/11
2850!
2860! Turbulent Value from Dittus-Boelter
2870 Nudb=.023*Re^.8*Pr^.4
2880!
2890! Stephenson Correlation
2900 Nus=(Pr^.4/.367)*.0071*Re^.88*Jay*.023 !Air,Turb-EQN2.23-corrected for wat
er
2910!
2920! Nakayama Correlation for turbulent conditions
2930 Nunak=(Re^.8)*(Pr^.4)*(Tg^(1/30))*(1+.014/(Tg^(1/6))*.033 ! Eqn 2.9 (Tur
blent)
2940 Ty=Nunak/(Re^.8*Pr^.4)
2950!
2960! Nakayama Correlation for laminar conditions
2970 J2=J*2
2980 Sq=2/11*(1+SQR(1+77/4*(1/Pr^2)))
2990 Cf=1-.486*((3*Sq-1)^.4/(Sq*(Sq*Pr+SQR(5)+2)))*J2/(Ra*Re)^.6
3000 Nunak1=48/11*.191/Sq*(3*Sq-1)^.2*(Ra*Re)^.2*1/(1+(1/10*Sq*Pr))
3010!
3020! Nakayama/Fuzioka Correlation for Radial Pipes
3030 Nunf=(.014/.023)*(Re/Ro^2.5)^.124*Nudb !TURB-EQN 2.21
3040 Mus=Mu !Temp Value Mus@Mu
3050!
3060! Sieder-Tate Correlation for Turbulent
3070 Nust=.027*Re^.8*Pr^.3333*(Mu/Mus)^.14
3080 Prod=Ra*Re*Pr
3090!
3100! Woods-Morris Correlation for Laminar
3110 Nuwm=.262*Prod^.173*48/11 ! Eqn 2.22-WM3
3120 J1=Jay/8
3130!
3140! Woods-Morris Correlation for Radial Pipes
3150 Nuwm2=.015*Re^.78*J1^.25 !from wm2
3160 IF J1=0 THEN
3170 PRINT USING "14X, ""Reynolds number (Re) = ""Z.3DE":Re
3180 PRINT USING "14X, ""Friction factor (stat) = ""Z.3DE":F
3190 PRINT USING "14X, ""Heat flux (Qpp) = ""Z.3DE, "" (W/m^2)""":Qpp
3200 PRINT USING "14X, ""Mean fluid vel (Vm) = ""Z.2DE, "" (m/s)""":Vm
3210 PRINT USING "14X, ""RPM = ""4D.DD, """:Rpm
3220 END IF
3230 IF Ihc=0 THEN PRINTER IS 1
3240 PRINT
3250 IF J1=0 THEN PRINT USING "10X, ""Results: ""
3260 IF Okplot=0 OR (Okplot=1 AND Nstep<11) THEN
3270 PRINT USING "10X, "" Nudb Nunak Nunf Nuwm Nus Nuwm2""
3280 PRINT USING "13X, 6(3D.DD, 2X)":Nudb,Nunak,Nunf,Nuwm,Nus,Nuwm2
3290 PRINT USING "14X, "" Ra Ro Ra=Re*Pr Mf Nak1 ""
3300 PRINT USING "14X, 4(Z.2DE, 2X), 3D.DD, DD.DDD, Z.DD":Ra,Ro,Prod,Mf,Nunak1
3310 PRINT USING "14X, "" RaRe Tg Ty""
3320 PRINT USING "13X, D.2DE, 2X, Z.3DE, 2X, Z.DDD":Ra*Re,Tg,Ty
3330 END IF
3340 IF Okplot=1 THEN
3350 IF Ian=1 THEN Y=Nudb
3360 IF Ian=2 THEN Y=Nunak

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3370 IF Ian=2 THEN Y=Nunf
3380 IF Ian=4 THEN Y=Nuwm
3390 IF Ian=5 THEN Y=Nus
3400 IF Ian=6 THEN Y=Nuum
3410 IF Ian=7 THEN Y=Nulam
3420 IF Ian=8 THEN Y=Nunak1
3430 IF Op=2 AND Opx<>2 THEN X=Rpm
3440 IF Op=3 AND Opx<>3 THEN X=Mf
3450 IF Opx=2 OR Opx=3 THEN X=Prod
3460 Jj=Jj+1
3470 CALL Plot(Jj,Jc,Jd,X,Y,Type,Cx)
3480 END IF
3490 IF Op=2 THEN
3500 Rpm=Rpm*10(Cx/Nstep)
3510 IF Rpm>Rpmh THEN 3590
3520 GOTO 2730
3530 END IF
3540 IF Op=3 THEN
3550 Mf=Mf*10(Cx/Nstep)
3560 IF Mf>Mfh THEN 3590
3570 GOTO 2040
3580 END IF
3590 BEEP
3600 INPUT "ANOTHER RUN (1=Y,0=N)?".Ir
3610 PRINT "PU"
3620 IF Ir=1 THEN 1350
3630 INPUT "WANT TO LABEL?(1=Y,0=N)".I1
3640 IF I1=1 THEN CALL Label
3650 END

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1000 DEF FNPvst(Tsteam)
1010 DIM K(8)
1020 DATA -7.33124564,-26.09025595,-162.1705546,59.23295504,-119.9546225
1030 DATA 4.16711732,20.5750073,1.125.6
1040 READ K(*)
1050 T=(Tsteam+273.15)/647.3
1060 Sum=0
1070 FOR N=0 TO 4
1080 Sum=Sum+K(N)*(1-T)^(N+1)
1090 NEXT N
1100 Br=Sum/(T*(1+K(5)+(1-T)+K(6)*(1-T)^2))-(1-T)/(K(7)+(1-T)^2+K(8))
1110 Pr=EXP(Br)
1120 P=22120000*Pr
1130 RETURN P
1140 FNEND
1150 DEF FNHfg(T)
1160 Hfg=2477200-2450*(T-10)
1170 RETURN Hfg
1180 FNEND
1190 DEF FNMuw(T)
1200 A=247.8/(T+133.15)
1210 Mu=2.4E-5*10^A
1220 RETURN Mu
1230 FNEND
1240 DEF FNVvst(Tt)
1250 P=FNPvst(Tt)
1260 T=Tt+273.15
1270 X=1500/T
1280 F1=1/(1+T*1.E-4)
1290 F2=(1-EXP(-X))^2.5*EXP(X)/X^1.5
1300 B=.0015*F1-.000942*F2-.0004882*X
1310 K=2*P/(461.52*T)
1320 V=(1+(1+2*B*K)^1.5)/K
1330 RETURN V
1340 FNEND
1350 DEF FNCpw(T)
1360 Cpw=4.21120858-T*(2.26826E-3-T*(4.42361E-5+2.71428E-7*T))
1370 RETURN Cpw*1000
1380 FNEND
1390 DEF FNRhow(T)
1400 Ro=999.52946+T*(.01269-T*(5.482513E-3-T*1.234147E-5))
1410 RETURN Ro
1420 FNEND
1430 DEF FNPrw(T)
1440 Prw=FNCpw(T)*FNMuw(T)/FNKw(T)
1450 RETURN Prw
1460 FNEND
1470 DEF FNKw(T)
1480 X=(T+273.15)/273.15
1490 Kw=-.92247+X*(2.8395-X*(1.8007-X*(.52577-.07344*X)))
1500 RETURN Kw
1510 FNEND
1520 DEF FNTanh(X)
1530 P=EXP(X)
1540 Q=EXP(-X)
1550 Tanh=(P-Q)/(P+Q)
1560 RETURN Tanh
1570 FNEND
1580 DEF FNHF(T)

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1590 Hf=T*(4.203849-T*(5.38132E-4-T*4.55160317E-5))
1600 RETURN Hf*1000
1610 FNEND
1620 DEF FNTuon(P)
1630 Tu=110
1640 Tl=10
1650 Ta=(Tu+Tl)*.5
1660 Pc=FNPvst(Ta)
1670 IF ABS((P-Pc)/P)>.001 THEN
1680 IF Pc<P THEN Tl=Ta
1690 IF Pc>P THEN Tu=Ta
1700 GOTO 1650
1710 END IF
1720 RETURN Ta
1730 FNEND
1740 DEF FNBeta(T)
1750 Rop=FNRhow(T+.1)
1760 Rom=FNRhow(T-.1)
1770 Beta=-2/(Rop+Rom)*(Rop-Rom)/.2
1780 RETURN Beta
1790 FNEND
1800 DEF FNAAlpha(T)
1810 Alpha=FNKw(T)/(FNRhow(T)*FNCpw(T))
1820 RETURN Alpha
1830 FNEND
1840 DEF FNSigma(T)
1850 Tt=647.3-T
1860 A=.001*Tt^2*(.1160936807/(1+.93*Tt))
1870 B=.001121404688-5.75280518E-6*Tt
1880 C=1.28627465E-8*Tt^2-1.14971929E-11*Tt^3
1890 Sigma=A+B+C
1900 RETURN Sigma
1910 FNEND

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\*\*\* Geometric Variables \*\*\*

Tube diameter (D) = 4.763E-03 (m)  
 Tube length (L) = 1.02 (m)  
 L/D = 172.6  
 Rotor radius (R) = 0.402 (m)

Computed values are:

\*\*\* Operating Variables \*\*\*

Input variables are:

Heat load = 50.00 (W)  
 Coolant inlet temp = 45.00 (C)  
 Coolant outlet temp = 45.72 (C)  
 Coolant mass flow rate = 1.6329E-02 (kg/s)

Fluid properties evaluated at 45.36 (C) are:

Specific heat (Cp) = 4224.7 (J/kg.K)  
 Viscosity (Mu) = 5.8661E-04 (N.s/m<sup>2</sup>)  
 Thermal cond (k) = 0.6380 (W/m.K)  
 Prandtl number (Pr) = 3.884  
 Density (Rho) = 990.0 (kg/m<sup>3</sup>)  
 Kinematic vis (Nuv) = 5.9255E-07 (m<sup>2</sup>/s)  
 Coef ther exp (Beta) = 4.1266E-04 (1/K)

\*\*\* Calculations \*\*\*

Preliminary calculations:

Reynolds number (Re) = 7.441E+03  
 Friction factor (stat) = 3.402E-02  
 Heat flux (Qop) = 4.060E+03 (W/m<sup>2</sup>)  
 Mean fluid vel (Vm) = 9.26E-01 (m/s)  
 RPM = 3600.00

Results:

Nudb	Nunak	Nunf	Nuwm	Nus	Nuwm2
49.52	55.30	111.80	31.56	44.84	102.34
Ra	Ro	Ra+Re+Pr	Mf	Nak1	
7.39E+03	5.16E-01	2.14E+08	1.63E-02	44.90	
RaRe	Tg	Tv			
5.50E+07	7.506E-05	0.026			

## APPENDIX C

### THERMOSYPHON ANALYSIS (COMPUTER PROGRAM AND RESULTS)

The following program was written to give the results of the correlation for the heat transfer for the rotating, closed-loop thermosyphon discussed in Chapter III. It was written in HP-Basic for the HP-9826 computer. Sub-programs for the graphics and the thermophysical properties are not shown. A sample run is included immediately following the listing.

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1000! FILE NAME:      THSY
1010! CREATED:      February 26, 1964
1020!
1030 COM /Cmin/ Xmin,Ymin,Sfx,Sfy
1040 PRINTER IS 1
1050 BEEP
1060 PRINT USING "2X, ""Default values: """"
1070 D=4.753E-3      ! Tube diameter (m)
1080 L=.9230         ! Tube length (m)
1090 R=.4021         ! Radius of rotor (m)
1100 Kff=0           ! Friction Factor for bends
1110 Lt=2*L+2*R
1120 PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube diameter = ""Z.4DE."" (m)""":D
1130 PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube length = ""DD.D."" (m)""":L
1140 PRINT USING "4X, ""Ckt Length (Lt) = ""DD.D."" (m)""":Lt
1150 PRINT USING "4X, ""Radius of rotor = ""Z.3D."" (m)""":R
1160 BEEP
1170 INPUT "OK TO ACCEPT DEFAULT VALUES (1=Y,0=N)?" Id
1180 BEEP
1190 INPUT "LIKE A HARD COPY (1=Y,0=N)?" Ihc
1200 IF Ihc=1 THEN PRINTER IS 701
1210 IF Id=1 THEN 1280
1220 BEEP
1230 INPUT "ENTER TUBE DIAMETER (m)".D
1240 BEEP
1250 INPUT "ENTER TUBE LENGTH (m)".L
1260 BEEP
1270 INPUT "ENTER RADIUS OF ROTOR (m)".R
1280 PRINT USING "10X, ""*** Geometric Variables *** """"
1290 PRINT USING "14X, ""Tube diameter (D) = ""Z.3DE."" (m)""":D
1300 PRINT USING "14X, ""Tube length (L) = ""DD.DD."" (m)""":L
1310 PRINT USING "14X, ""Ckt length (Lt) = ""DD.DD."" (m)""":Lt
1320 PRINT USING "14X, ""L/D = ""SD.D""":L/D
1330 PRINT USING "14X, ""Rotor radius (R) = ""Z.3D."" (m)""":R
1340 PRINT
1350 PRINT USING "10X, ""Computed values are: """"
1360 PRINTER IS 1
1370 BEEP
1380 PRINT USING "2X, ""SELECT OPTION: """"
1390 PRINT USING "4X, ""1 Single point""
1400 PRINT USING "4X, ""2 Nu versus RPM""
1410 INPUT Op
1420 IF Op>1 THEN
1430 BEEP
1440 Jj=0
1450 PRINTER IS 1
1460 INPUT "LIKE TO PLOT (1=Y,0=N)?" Okplot
1470 BEEP
1480 INPUT "Nudb=1.Nunak1=2.Nuwm=3.Nus=4.Nul=5".Ian
1490 IF Okplot=1 THEN
1500 CALL Plot(Jj,X,Y,Dt,Tc)
1510 INPUT "LIKE A LABEL?(1=Y,0=N)".I1
1520 IF I1=1 THEN CALL Label
1530 END IF
1540 END IF
1550 Nstep=11
1560 IF Op=2 THEN
1570 BEEP
1580 INPUT "ENTER RPM RANGE (MIN,MAX)".Romi,Romn

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1590 Rpm=Rpm1
1600 ELSE
1610 BEEP
1620 INPUT "ENTER RPM OF MOTOR",Rpm
1630 END IF
1640 BEEP
1650 IF Ihc=1 THEN PRINTER IS 701
1660 IF Ihc=0 THEN PRINTER IS 1
1670 PRINT
1680 PRINT USING "10X,""*** Operating Variables *** ""
1690 PRINT
1700 PRINT USING "10X,""Input variables are: ""
1710 BEEP
1720 INPUT "ENTER HEAT LOAD (W)",Q
1730 PRINT USING "14X,""Heat load = "" ,4D.0D,"" (W)"";Q
1740 BEEP
1750 INPUT "ENTER COLD SIDE TEMP (C)",Tc
1760 PRINT USING "14X,""Cold side temp = "" ,4D.0D,"" (C)"";Tc
1770 Dt=5
1780 Th=Tc+Dt
1790 Ta=(Tc+Th)*.5
1800 Dtt=Dt/L
1810 PRINT
1820 Cp=FNCpw(Ta)
1830 Mu=FNMuw(Ta)
1840 K=FNKw(Ta)
1850 Pr=FNPrw(Ta)
1860 Rho=FNRhoh(Ta)
1870 Nuv=Mu/Rho
1880 Beta=FNBeta(Ta)
1890 Omega=Rpm*2*PI/60
1900 Th=Tc+Dt
1910 Ta=Tc+Dt/2
1920 PRINTER IS 1
1930 PRINT "TA = " ,Ta
1940 Rhoh=FNRhoh(Th)
1950 PRINT "RH0H=" ,Rhoh
1960 Rhoc=FNRhoh(Tc)
1970 PRINT "RH0C=" ,Rhoh
1980 Rhom=FNRhoh(Ta)
1990 Drho=Rhoc-Rhoh
2000 IF Drho<0 THEN GOTO 3140
2010 PRINT "dro=" ,Drho
2020 Mu=FNMuw(Ta)
2030 Cp=FNCpw(Ta)
2040 Beta=FNBeta(Ta)
2050 Pr=FNPrw(Ta)
2060 Nuv=Mu/Rhom
2070 PRINT "MU,CP = " ,Mu,Cp
2080 Mf=Q/(Cp*Dt)
2090 Re=4/PI*Mf/(Mu*D)
2100 Gr=R*(Omega^2)*Beta*((D/2)^4)*Dtt/Nuv^2
2110 Ra=Gr*Pr
2120 Prod=Ra*Re*Pr
2130 Nuwm=.262*Prod^.173*48/11
2140 Dtwp=Q/(K*Nuwm*PI*L)
2150 PRINT "DTWP = " ,Dtwp
2160 Dtw=Dtwp
2170 Grr=R*Omega^2*Beta*D^3*Dtw/Nuv^2
2180 Nu=Pr/Grr*Lt/R*D/L*Rhom/Rhoh*(Kff+(256/Re*Lt/D))*Re^3
2190 Dtwc=Q/(PI*L*K*Nu)

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2200 IF ABS(Dtuc-Dtw)>.10 THEN
2210 IF Rpm>3000 THEN
2220 D=Dt+.5
2230 GOTO 1300
2240 END IF
2250 IF Rpm>1000 THEN
2260 Dt=Dt+1
2270 GOTO 1900
2280 END IF
2290 IF Rpm>500 THEN
2300 Dt=Dt+1.5
2310 GOTO 1900
2320 END IF
2330 IF Rpm>=300 THEN
2340 Dt=Dt+.4
2350 GOTO 1900
2360 END IF
2370 END IF
2380 Vm=4*Mf/(Rhom*PI*D^2)
2390 Ro=Vm/(Omega*D)
2400 Jay=Omega*D^2/Nuv !From STEPH-Rotational Re
2410 Dtt=(Th-Tc)/L
2420 Gr=R*(Omega^2)*Beta*((D/2)^4)*Dtt/Nuv^2
2430 Ra=Gr*Pr
2440!
2450! Laminar Value
2460 Nulam=48/11
2470!
2480! Turbulent Value from Dittus-Boelter
2490 Nudb=.023*Re^.8*Pr^.4
2500!
2510! Stephenson Correlation
2520 Nus=(Pr^.4/.867)*.0071*Re^.38*Jay*.023 !Air,Turb-EQN2.23-corrected for wat
er
2530!
2540! Nakayama Correlation for laminar conditions
2550 J2=J^2
2560 Sq=2/11*(1+SQR(1+77/4*(1/Pr^2)))
2570 Cf=1-.486*((3*Sq-1)^.4/(Sq*(Sq*Pr+SQR(5)+2)))*J2/(Ra*Re) *.6
2580 Nunakl=48/11*.191/Sq*(3*Sq-1)^.2*(Ra*Re)^.2*(1+(1/10*Sq*Pr))
2590 Mus=Mu !Temp Value Mus=Mu
2600 Prod=Ra*Re*Pr
2610!
2620! Woods-Morris Correlation for Laminar
2630 Nuwm=.262*Prod^.173*48/11 ! Eqn 2.22-WM3
2640 J1=Jay/8
2650!
2660! Woods-Morris Correlation for Radial Pipes
2670 Nuwm2=.015*Re^.78*J1^.25 !from wm2
2680 IF Ihc=0 THEN
2690 PRINTER IS 1
2700 ELSE
2710 PRINTER IS 701
2720 END IF
2730 IF Jj=0 THEN
2740 IF Jj=0 THEN PRINT USING "10X,""Results: ""
2750 PRINT USING "10X,""Fluid properties evaluated at "" .DDD.DD,"" (C) are:"";
Ta
2760 PRINT USING "14X,""Specific heat (Cp) = "" .4D.DE,"" (J/kg.K)"";Cp
2770 PRINT USING "14X,""Viscosity (Mu) = "" .Z.4DE,"" (N.s/m^2)"";Mu

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2780 PRINT USING "14X, ""Thermal cond (k)      = ""Z.4D, "" (W/m.K)"""; k
2790 PRINT USING "14X, ""Prandtl number (Pr)   = ""Z.3DE"; Pr
2800 PRINT USING "14X, ""Density (Rho)         = ""4D.3, "" 9kg/m 3""; Rho
2810 PRINT USING "14X, ""Kinematic vis (Nus)   = ""Z.4DE, "" (m 2/s)""; Nus
2820 PRINT USING "14X, ""Coef therm exp(beta)   = ""Z.4DE, "" (1/K)""; Beta
2830 PRINT USING "14X, ""Reynolds number (Re)   = ""Z.3DE"; Re
2840 PRINT USING "14X, ""Mean fluid vel (Vm)    = ""Z.2DE, "" (m/s)""; Vm
2850 PRINT USING "14X, ""Mass flow rate        = ""Z.2DE, "" (kg/s)""; Mf
2860 PRINT USING "14X, ""Temperature (hotside) = ""DDD.DD, ""(C)""; Th
2870 PRINT USING "14X, ""RPM                  = ""DDDDD, ""; Rpm
2880 END IF
2890 PRINT
2900 IF Okplot=0 OR (Okplot=1 AND Nstep<11) THEN
2910 PRINT USING "10X, ""      Nudb      Nunakl      Nuwm      Nus      """;
2920 PRINT USING "13X, 6(3D.DD, 2X)": Nudb, Nunakl, Nuwm, Nus
2930 PRINT USING "14X, ""      Ra      Ro      Ra*Re*Pr      Mf      """;
2940 PRINT USING "14X, 4(Z.2DE, 2X), 3D.DD": Ra, Ro, Prod, Mf
2950 END IF
2960 IF Okplot=1 THEN
2970 IF Ian=1 THEN Y=Nudb
2980 IF Ian=2 THEN Y=Nunakl
2990 IF Ian=3 THEN Y=Nuwm
3000 IF Ian=4 THEN Y=Nus
3010 IF Ian=5 THEN Y=(48/11)
3020 X=Rpm
3030 Jj=Jj+1
3040 CALL Plot(Jj, X, Y, Dt, Tc)
3050 PRINTER IS 1
3060 END IF
3070 IF Op=2 THEN
3080 Dt=5
3090 Rpm=Rpm*10 .1
3100 IF Rpm>Rpmh THEN 3130
3110 GOTO 1890
3120 END IF
3130 BEEP
3140 INPUT "ANOTHER RUN (1=Y, 0=N)?": Ir
3150 PRINT "PU"
3160 IF Ir=1 THEN 1360
3170 INPUT "WANT TO LABEL?(1=Y, 0=N)": I1
3180 IF I1=1 THEN CALL Label
3190 END

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--- Geometric Variables ---
Tube diameter (D) = 4.763E-03 (m)
Tube length (L) = .92 (m)
Ckt length (Lt) = 2.45 (m)
L/D = 172.8
Rotor radius (R) = 0.402 (m)

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Computed values are:

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--- Operating Variables ---

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Input variables are:
Heat load = 50.00 (W)
Cold side temp = 45.00 (C)

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Results:

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Fluid properties evaluated at 62.75 (C) are:
Specific heat (Cp) = 4310.1E+00 (J/kg.K)
Viscosity (Mu) = 4.4172E-04 (N.s/m^2)
Thermal cond (k) = 0.6404 (W/m.k)
Prandtl number (Pr) = 2.902E+00
Density (Rho) = 989.19 kg/m^3
Kinematic vis (Nuv) = 4.4991E-07 (M^2/S)
Coef therm exp (Beta) = 5.3940E-04 (1/K)
Reynolds number (Re) = 1.978E+02
Mean fluid vel (Vm) = 1.87E-02 (m/s)
Mass flow rate = 3.27E-04 (kg/s)
Temperature (hotside) = 80.50 (C)
RPM = 3600.

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Nudb      Nunai-1    Nuwm      Nus
2.42      51.80      34.41      1.65
Ra        Ro        Ra=Re*Pr    MF
6.13E+05  1.04E-02  3.52E+08  3.27E-04

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APPENDIX D  
CLOSED TWO-PHASE THERMOSYPHON ANALYSIS (COMPUTER PROGRAM AND  
RESULTS)

The following program was written to give the results of the correlations for the sonic, boiling, and condensing limits as discussed in Chapter IV. It was written in HP-Basic for the HP-9826 computer. Sub-programs for the graphics and the thermophysical properties are not shown. A sample run is included immediately following the listing.

- Pages 120-124 Program Listing
- Pages 125-127 Sample Calculation

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1030! FILE NAME: -E47
1031! DATE: March 5, 1984
1032! LAST REVISION: March 10, 1984
1033! 2170.CALDS: 4000.PLOT: 5250.FNS: 6100.LABEL:
1040!
1050! COM /Qain/ Xmin,Ymin,Sfx,Cfy
1060! PRINTER IS 1
1070! BEEP
1080! PRINT USING "2X, ""Default values: ""
1090! D=4.750E-3 ! Tube diameter (m)
1100! Le=.6230/2 ! Tube length(Evap)(m)
1110! Lc=.3*Le
1120! Lt=Le+Lc
1130! R=.082 ! Radius of rotor (m)
1140! PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube diameter = ""Z.4DE. "" (m) """:D
1150! PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube length(Evap)= ""Z.0D.0. "" (m) """:Le
1160! PRINT USING "4X, ""Tube length(Cond)= ""Z.0D.0. "" (m) """:Lc
1170! PRINT USING "4X, ""Radius of rotor = ""Z.3D. "" (m) """:R
1180! BEEP
1190! INPUT "OK TO ACCEPT DEFAULT VALUES (Y,N)=?" :Ic
1200! BEEP
1210! INPUT "LIKE A HARD COPY (Y,N)=?" :Ihc
1220! IF Ihc=1 THEN
1230! PRINTER IS 701
1240! ELSE
1250! PRINTER IS 1
1250! END IF
1270! IF Ic=1 THEN 1360
1280! BEEP
1290! INPUT "ENTER TUBE DIAMETER (m)":D
1300! BEEP
1310! INPUT "ENTER TUBE LENGTH(Evap) (m)":Le
1320! BEEP
1330! INPUT "ENTER TUBE LENGTH(Cond) (m)":Lc
1340! BEEP
1350! INPUT "ENTER RADIUS OF ROTOR (m)":R
1360! PRINT USING "10X, ""*** Geometric Variables *** ""
1370! PRINT USING "14X, ""Tube diameter (D) = ""Z.3DE. "" (m) """:D
1380! PRINT USING "14X, ""Tube length(Evap) (Le) = ""Z.3D. "" (m) """:Le
1390! PRINT USING "14X, ""Tube length(Cond) (Lc) = ""Z.3D. "" (m) """:Lc
1400! PRINT USING "14X, ""Rotor radius (R) = ""Z.3D. "" (m) """:R
1410! PRINT
1420! PRINTER IS 1
1430! BEEP
1440! PRINT USING "2X, ""SELECT OPTION: ""
1450! PRINT USING "4X, ""1 Q versus %Fill ""
1460! PRINT USING "4X, ""2 ?????????????? ""
1470! INPUT Op
1480! IF Op>1 THEN
1490! BEEP
1500! PRINTER IS 1
1510! PRINT USING "4X, ""NOT IMPLEMENTED YET ""
1520! GOTO 1440
1530! ELSE
1540! BEEP
1550! G=0
1560! Jt=0
1570! Pct=1
1580! INPUT "LIKE TO PLOT (Y,N)=?" :Okplot

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1630 IF Jj=1 THEN
1635 CALL F10T0J100,Cd,X,1,Type,Cx)
1640 Jj=1
1645 BEEP
1650 INPUT "1=SOLID,2=DASH-DASH,3=DOT-DOT" Type
1655 END IF
1660 Nstep=100
1665 BEEP
1670 INPUT "ENTER OPTION (1=S,2=E,3=B,4=C)",Io
1675 IF Io=2 THEN
1680 BEEP
1685 INPUT "'=WALLIS,2=CASTER",Ie
1690 END IF
1695 IF Ihc=1 THEN PRINTER IS 701
1700 IF Ihc=0 THEN PRINTER IS '
1705 BEEP
1710 INPUT "ENTER Tsat (C)",Tsat
1715 PRINT USING "14X, ""Tsat(C)"" = ""'.DDD.D'":Tsat
1720 BEEP
1725 INPUT "ENTER RPM",Rpm
1730 PRINT USING "14X, ""RPM"" = ""'.4D'":Rpm
1735 BEEP
1740 INPUT "ENTER COND. WALL TEMPERATURE",Tw
1745 PRINT USING "14X, ""T wall"" = ""'.DDD.D'":Tw
1750 At=PI*0.2/4
1755 TsatK=Tsats+273.15
1760 Cp=FNCPw(Tsat)
1765 Mu=FNMuw((Tsat+Tw)/2)
1770 Muv=FNMuw(Tsat)
1775 K=FNKw(Tsat)
1780 Pr=FNPrw(Tsat)
1785 Rho1=FNRRho(Tsat)
1790 Hfg=FNHfg(Tsat)
1795 Beta=FNBeta(Tsat)
1800 Sigma=FNSigma(Tsat)
1805 RhoV=1/FNVvst(Tsat)
1810 Nuv=Muv/RhoV
1815 Rsn=1.327
1820 Cv=Cp/Rsn
1825 Rgc=461.52 (J/kg.K)
1830 Omega=Rpm*2*PI/60
1835 Accel=Omega^2*R
1840 IF Jj=0 THEN
1845 PRINT
1850 PRINT USING "10X, ""Fluid properties evaluated at ""'.DDD.DD, "" (C) are: ""
1855 :Tsat
1860 PRINT USING "14X, ""Specific heat (Cp)"" = ""'.4D.D, "" (J/kg.K) """:Cp
1865 PRINT USING "14X, ""Ratio of Specific Heats"" = ""'.D.DDD'":Rsn
1870 PRINT USING "14X, ""Viscosity (Mu)"" = ""'.Z.4DE, "" (N.s/m^2) """:Mu1
1875 PRINT USING "14X, ""Thermal cond (k)"" = ""'.Z.4D, "" (W/m.K) """:K
1880 PRINT USING "14X, ""Prandtl number (Pr)"" = ""'.Z.3D'":Pr
1885 PRINT USING "14X, ""Enthalpy (Hfg)"" = ""'.Z.4DE'":Hfg
1890 PRINT USING "14X, ""Density (Rho1)"" = ""'.4D.D, "" (kg/m^3) """:Rho1
1895 PRINT USING "14X, ""Density (RhoV)"" = ""'.Z.4D, "" (kg/m^3) """:RhoV
1900 PRINT USING "14X, ""Coef ther exp (Beta)"" = ""'.Z.4DE, "" (1/K) """:Beta
1905 PRINT USING "14X, ""Omega"" = ""'.4D.D, "" (1/s) """:Omega
1910 PRINT USING "14X, ""Surface Tension"" = ""'.Z.4DE, "" (N/m) """:Sigma
1915 END IF
1920!
1925! PCF = K*ELL

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2190!
2200 M=Rho1*(Lt+Pc-Psf/100+D/2)
2210 Av=(M/Lt*((Rhov-Rho1))-((Rho1/(Rhov-Rho1))*At))
2220!
2230! SONIC CALCULATION
2240 IF Io=1 THEN
2250 IF Jj=0 THEN
2260 PRINT
2270 PRINT USING "10X." "Sonic Limit Calculations:"
2280 PRINT USING "10X." "% Fill Total Heat"
2290 END IF
2300 Qn=Rhov*Hfg*(M/Lt*(Rhov-Rho1)-Rho1/(Rhov-Rho1)*At)+SQRT(Ran*Rgc*Tsatk)
2310 Mf=Qn/Hfg
2320 X=Pc
2330 Y=Qn
2340 IF Qn<=0 THEN GOTO 2400
2350 IF Okplot=1 THEN
2360 CALL Plot(Jj,Jc,Jd,X,Y,Type,Cx)
2370 ELSE
2380 PRINT USING "12X.3D.3X.Z.3DE":Pcf,Qm
2390 END IF
2400 IF Pcf>=100 THEN GOTO 2730
2410 IF Okplot=1 THEN
2420 Pcf=Pcf*10+.02
2430 ELSE
2440 Pcf=Pcf+1
2450 Jr=Jj+1
2460 END IF
2470 GOTO 2200
2480 END IF
2490!
2500! ENTRAINMENT CALCULATIONS
2510 IF Io=2 THEN
2520!
2530 IF Jj=0 THEN
2540 PRINT
2550 PRINT USING "10X." "Entraining Limit Calculations:"
2560 PRINT USING "10X." "% Fill Total Heat"
2570 END IF
2580! WALLIS CORRELATION J*=.25
2590 IF Ie=1 THEN
2600 IF Av=0 THEN GOTO 2990
2610 Jv=.25/Rhov*.5*(Omega^2*R*D*(Rho1-Rhov))^.5
2620 Qm=Rhov*Jv*At*Hfg
2630 END IF
2640!
2650! JASTER CORRELATION
2660 IF Ie=2 THEN
2670 IF Pcf=0 THEN Pcf=1
2680 T1=(1/(1-(Pcf/100)))-.1
2690! T1=(1/(Pcf/100))-.1
2700 T2=T1*(Rho1/Rhov)^(2/3)
2710 IF T1<0 THEN 2990
2720 Xx2=(Mul/Muv)^(.25+T1)!.75*(Rho1/Rhov)^((2/3)+1.75-1)
2730 Xx=1/(1+T2)
2740! Xx=.5
2750! Xx2=(Mul/Muv)^(.25+Rhov/Rho1)
2760 IF G=0 THEN G=1
2770 Re1=(1-Xx)*(G*D/Mul)
2780 Rev=Xx*G*D/Muv
2790 Fv=.079/Rev^.25

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2890 IF Re<1250 THEN Gd=300*(Re/2)
2891 IF Re>1250 THEN Gd=1504*(Re) **.375
2892 Num=10*SGR(2)*(Rho1-Rhov) **.5*Mu1*Gd*Omega **.2*R
2893 Den=(1+Xx) **.25*(5+Rho1*Xx) *.2*Re **.25
2894 Gc=(Num/Den) **.33
2895 IF ABS((G-Gc)/Gc)>.01 THEN
2896 G=(G+Gc)/2
2897 GOTO 2750
2880 END IF
2890 Qm=Xx*G+At*Hfg
2900 END IF
2910 X=Pcf
2920 Y=Qm
2930 IF Qm<=0 THEN GOTO 2990
2940 IF Okplot=1 THEN
2950 CALL Plot(Jj,Jc,Jd,X,Y,Type,Cx)
2960 ELSE
2970 PRINT USING "12X.3D.3X.Z.4DE.4X.Z.3DE":Pcf,Qm,G
2980 END IF
2990 IF Pcf>100 THEN GOTO 3730
3000 IF Okplot=1 THEN
3010 Pcf=Pcf*10 **.02
3020 ELSE
3030 Pcf=Pcf+10
3040 END IF
3050 Jj=Jj+1
3060 IF Ie=2 THEN GOTO 2560
3070 IF Ie=1 THEN GOTO 2200
3080 END IF
3090!
3100! BOILING CALCULATIONS
3110 IF Io=3 THEN
3120 IF Jj=0 THEN
3130 PRINT
3140 PRINT USING "10X. ""Boiling Limit Calculations: ""
3150 PRINT USING "10X. ""% Fill Total Heat QDP ""
3160 END IF
3170 IF Pcf>100 THEN GOTO 3730
3180 Ab=D*Le*ACS(1-Pcf/50)
3190 Qm=Ab*.13*Rhov **.5*Hfg*(Omega **.2*R*(Rho1-Rhov)*Sigma) **.25
3200 X=Pcf
3210 Y=Qm
3220 IF Qm<=0 THEN 3230
3230 IF Okplot=1 THEN
3240 CALL Plot(Jj,Jc,Jd,X,Y,Type,Cx)
3250 ELSE
3260 PRINT USING "12X.3D.3X.Z.4DE.3X.Z.4DE":Pcf,Qm,Qm/Ab
3270 END IF
3280 IF Pcf>100 THEN GOTO 3730
3290 Jj=Jj+1
3300 IF Okplot=1 THEN
3310 Pcf=Pcf*10 **.02
3320 ELSE
3330 Pcf=Pcf+1
3340 END IF
3350 GOTO 2200
3360 END IF
3370!
3380! CONDENSATION CALCULATIONS
3390 IF Io=4 THEN

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3400 IF J=0 THEN
3410 PRINT
3420 PRINT USING "0X.0000"Condensing Limit Calculations:
3430 PRINT USING "0X.0000" Fill Total Heat
3440 END IF
3450 Dt=Tssat-Tw
3460 Hfgp=Hfg*(1+.68*(Cp*Dt/Hfg))
3470 Tgg=(Rhol*(Rhol-Rhov)+Omega2*R*Hfgp*K3/(D*Mul*Dt))*.25
3480 DEG
3490 Phi=180-ACS(1-(Pcf/50))
3500 IF Phi>0 AND Phi<110 THEN F=FNF1(Phi)
3510 IF Phi>110 AND Phi<150 THEN F=FNF2(Phi)
3520 IF Phi>150 AND Phi<180 THEN F=FNF3(Phi)
3530 IF Phi>180 THEN PRINT "ERROR.PHI>180!!!"
3540 RAD
3550 Qm=Av*Dt*F*Tgg
3560 X=Pcf
3570 Y=Qm
3580 IF Qm<0 THEN GOTO 3700
3590 IF Okplot=1 THEN
3600 CALL Plot(Jj,Jc,Jd,X,Y,Type,Cx)
3610 ELSE
3620 PRINT USING "12X.3D.2X.3D.0":Pcf,Qm
3630 END IF
3640 IF Okplot=1 THEN
3650 Pcf=Pcf*10-1.02
3660 ELSE
3670 Pcf=Pcf+1
3680 END IF
3690 Jj=Jj+1
3700 IF Pcf>=100 THEN GOTO 3730
3710 GOTO 2200
3720 END IF
3730 BEEP
3740 INPUT "ANOTHER RUN (1=Y,0=N)".Ir
3750 IF Ir=1 THEN 1200
3760 BEEP
3770 INPUT "WANT TO LABEL?(1=Y,0=N)".I1
3780 IF I1=1 THEN CALL Label
3790 END

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\*\*\* Geometric Variables \*\*\*

Tube diameter (D) = 4.75E-03 (m)  
 Tube length(Evap) (Le) = .4 (m)  
 Tube length(Cond) (Lc) = .2 (m)  
 Rotor radius (R) = 0.402 (m)

Tsat(C) = 80  
 rpm = 3500  
 uall = 45

Fluid properties evaluated at 80.00 (C) sat:  
 Specific heat (Cp) = 4451.9 (J/kg.K)

Ratio of Specific Heats = 1.327  
 Viscosity (Mu) = 4.4336E-04 (N.s/m<sup>2</sup>)  
 Thermal cond (k) = 0.6638 (W/m.K)  
 Prandtl number (Pr) = 2.315  
 Enthalpy (Hfg) = 2.3057E+06  
 Density (Rhol) = 971.8 (kg/m<sup>3</sup>)  
 Density (Rhov) = .3 (kg/m<sup>3</sup>)  
 Coef ther exp (Beta) = 6.4578E-04 (1/K)  
 Omega = 377.0 (1/S)  
 Surface Tension = 7.7048E-02 (N/m)

# Condensing Limit Calculations:

% Fill	Total Heat
1	55.1
2	54.7
3	53.4
4	52.2
5	51.1
6	50.1
7	49.1
8	48.0
9	46.9
10	45.9
11	44.9
12	43.9
13	42.9
14	41.9
15	40.9
16	39.9
17	38.9
18	37.9
19	36.9
20	35.9
21	34.9
22	33.9
23	32.9
24	31.9
25	30.9
26	29.9
27	28.9
28	27.9
29	26.9
30	25.9
31	24.9
32	23.9
33	22.9
34	21.9
35	20.9
36	19.9
37	18.9
38	17.9
39	16.9
40	15.9
41	14.9
42	13.9
43	12.9
44	11.9
45	10.9
46	9.9
47	8.9
48	7.9

49	21.1
50	20.4
51	19.8
52	19.1
53	18.5
54	17.9
55	17.2
56	16.6
57	16.0
58	15.4
59	14.9
60	14.3
61	13.7
62	13.2
63	12.6
64	12.1
65	11.6
66	11.1
67	10.6
68	10.1
69	9.6
70	9.1
71	8.6
72	8.2
73	7.7
74	7.3
75	6.9
76	6.5
77	6.0
78	5.6
79	5.3
80	4.9
81	4.6
82	4.3
83	4.0
84	3.7
85	3.5
86	3.2
87	3.0
88	2.7
89	2.5
90	2.3
91	2.1
92	1.9
93	1.7
94	1.6
95	1.4
96	1.3
97	1.2
98	1.1
99	1.0

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